

Fur Hat and Bag Ensembles Add Drama to Fall Costumes

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



The prevailing formula for smart clothes this year is the dress or coat or suit that is classic in its simplicity, the same to serve as a background for accessories that are as eye-catching as good taste and money can buy. This leads up to describing the hat and bag set to the right. Here you see the "last word" in fur luxury interpreted in this stunning Cossack hat, made of black seal, together with a massive matching bag. The hat is ornamented with an imposing big jewel, done in the true Russian spirit, the magnificent success of Russian arms having inspired this millinery triumph from John Fredericks. The little Cossack hat is an outstanding favorite this season.

IF ITS something of outstanding style distinction you're seeking this season to give dash and fillip to your appearance, keep your eye on what's doing in way of working fur into hats and bags and a multitude of other accessories, such as will impart a touch of elegance to your costume that will rate you among the best dressed wherever you go.

Rich browns are making color news this year, and you can choose nothing smarter than an outfit done in a radiant tone of brown, the same highlighted with hat and other details worked in handsome mink. The voguish hat shown at the top is trimmed with mink, thus calling attention to the costume entire as a "study in brown." Her gold hoop earrings and flexible gold bracelets are perfect to wear with this costume. It is just such smart wearable fur-trimmed hats as this that women will be wearing with their smart wool costumes the winter through. Smart accompaniments to these hats include a drawing bag made of mink with detachable mink cuffs that may be worn at will. Moral—save your scraps of mink. Your furrier and your milliner can fashion an accessory collection out of them "worth a king's ransom" in appearance.

The swank, the novelty and the wealth of ideas expressed in these glamorous hat-and-bag sets simply cannot be expressed in words. Some idea of their superb styling is conveyed in the two "sets" shown in the illustration. The designer of the striking hat and bag pictured in the left wears ocelot and black leather together in a most fetching manner. This cunning "milk-maid" smart catches the sprightly air of youth with its bright spotted furs. The little stirred poke with its open curved back has smart leather bows and a leather facing for the spotted fur trim. The large oval of matching seal is sheathed with black leather to carry out the ensemble idea. Wear this to town with a black dress or suit—it will be smart being day or evening.

Don't throw even the tiniest swatch of fur away. In the fur pieces left over from shortening your coat or restyling it, lurk possibilities of a new drawing bag or a "tricky" neck piece or a lapel gadget. Out of a tidbit of fur clever designers will evolve a wee bow to clip on your breast pocket of your suit or a bowknot to fasten on each cuff of your gloves or to clip on your dress-up pumps.

Ration-Free Shoes Come in Gabardine

Thanks to the new durable plastic soles of recent invention and to the smart gabardine for uppers, you can now be smartly shod sans coupon. In the collection of non-ration shoes that are so because they use no priority materials you will find such attractive styles as strap sandals that are made with a plastic sole that will wear like leather. It's baby last and open toe wonders toward making your foot look small and graceful. A favorite for practical wear is the Mary Jane platform sandal. You can get it in black or brown gabardine with matching non-scutt low, sensible heels. In the glamour class is a slick gabardine platform pump with a common sense heel of patent. Open toes and backless is this pump with bows of grosgrain to give it flip. Real dressy pumps such as you can wear with your smart afternoon frocks are available in the new gabardine footwear.

Trapunto Trimming

The beloved trapunto trim holds good for this fall and winter. The latest gesture is to enhance the new and popular bright valentines with trapunto quilted design. The effect is most attractive. You can add these smart trims to the stores but if you have a valentines dress that calls for a glamorous touch you can get pattern, material and instructions at any fancy work department for trapunto quilted design. If you can sew even a little you can easily without much time or effort give your valentines dress a new look.

GRASSROOTS by WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

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RUSSIA'S FUTURE FORM OF GOVERNMENT

IN OUR PRIDE we like to think of America as the dominant power of the world. We may be that today, but what of the comparatively near future?

The dominant powers of the tomorrow may very easily be Russia and China. We grew to greatness because we had the resources with which to work, with a form of government and an economic system that created a will to work. Today Russia has the resources, she has the man power and given the will to work, she can outdistance us within the next half century.

The Russian government today is not communistic. It is purely a dictatorship and dictatorships last only so long as the dictator lasts. The dictatorship in Russia is providing education for Russian youth. The next generation will be more capable of individual and mass thinking than has any generation of the past. The dictatorship of Joseph Stalin has made many things possible and these have meant advancement. Today Russia is at the threshold of, for her, a new world. She has oils, minerals, timber, an abundance of fertile soil and man power. All she lacks is that economic system out of which is created the will to achieve.

Joseph Stalin will pass and with him, in all probability, will pass the dictatorship, to be followed by a form of government that will provide the needed economic system. Should that prove true, the Russian people and the people of the world will thank Joseph Stalin for his accomplishments. It is my belief that communism was but a passing phase in the life of the nation. It was a booby man that lives today more in the minds of zealots in other countries than in Russia.

JAPANESE POPULATION IN WESTERN STATES

SOME SIX YEARS AGO, when in Honolulu, I looked for material for a newspaper article on the subject of the Japanese population of the Hawaiian islands. I found many, a big majority, who pronounced them good citizens. They supported such statements with what seemed to be good evidence. Others, including intelligence officers of both the army and navy, were emphatic in their denunciation of the Japs and insisted they were an ever-present source of danger to the islands and to the nation.

My interest in the subject had been aroused by people I had talked to in California. The Californians had insisted the Japs up and down the coast were a menace to the safety of the nation and could not be trusted. The people of the coast states had, for years, attempted to impress upon congress and people of states farther east that the Japs were a dangerous element, many of them paid spies of the Tokyo government, and not to be trusted.

After weighing the evidence gathered at Honolulu, I decided the Japs were good citizens, loyal to the United States, and wrote my story from that viewpoint.

Events have demonstrated how entirely wrong I was in my estimate of the Jap character. The Japs were all the intelligence officers of the army and navy said they were. They were all the people of the Pacific coast states said they were. Today, as a resident of a Pacific coast state, I trust they may never again be permitted residence in my town and my state. If the people of the Pacific coast have the say so, they never will.

HOW INFLATION CAN AFFECT US

A LETTER from an old newspaper editor friend tells me of his retirement after 52 years of newspapering. In his letter he says: "I have enough to see me through if I do not live too long." But I wonder if he considers all the possibilities. We may have money. Judged from our past expenditures, it may be enough to last a definite length of time. But are past experiences a criterion for the future? The ugly head of inflation is just beyond the horizon. The dollars of today will depreciate to the values of tomorrow. He who must live on a fixed income may find it will not provide the price of tomorrow's bread. It is an uncertain age and the most helpless individual is he who has saved that he may have a competence for his declining years based on the conditions of the yesteryears. Inflation is no respecter of individuals. We do not know, we can only hope.

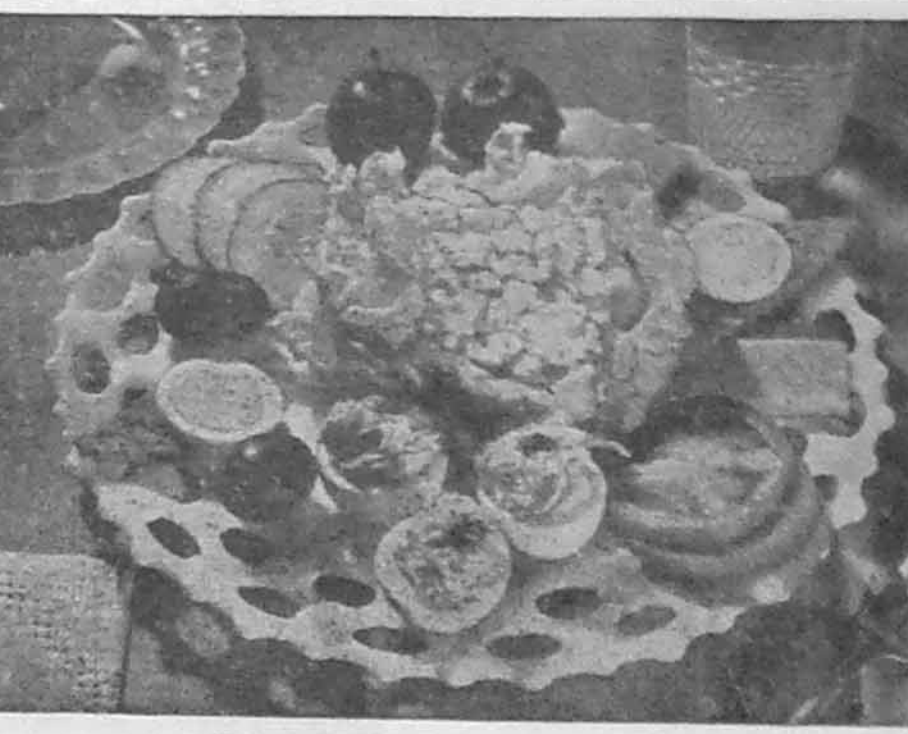
AS A SECOND THOUGHT, Vice President Wallace assures us that

only from two to eight per cent of all corporations are bad and that making legitimate profits is a system that must be preserved in America. Wonder what prompted that second thought?

HERBERT HOOVER'S PROPOSAL

AL that we delay writing the final peace treaty until we get over being mad would seem to be practical and sound.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS by Lynn Chambers



Salads Belong in Autumn Menus (See Recipes Below.)

Salads for Fall

Is a salad an integral part of your diet or do you set it aside just for summer months when vegetables are easy to obtain and serve in salad form?

Food authorities and doctors have long recommended the use of raw fruits and vegetables in the diet not only to guarantee more vitamins and minerals to the dietary, but to give the necessary roughage to the system. Vegetables contain a great deal of cellulose and are not as easily digested as the softer foods. This means they aid in proper function and elimination and belong daily in every diet.

Although we are limited in the amount of fresh vegetables obtainable in the fall and winter months, there are some available which offer many possibilities for salads. Cabbage, carrots, citrus fruits and apples are the most common. For a more substantial salad item, use cottage cheese. It will also give you a goodly amount of calcium, needed for proper bone and tooth development.

If your family has been shrunk by the fall here are two recipes especially designed for smaller families:

Tomatoes Stuffed With Green Pepper Slaw

(Serves 2)
Cut a thin slice from the stem end of each tomato. Remove seeds and part of the pulp. Sprinkle inside with salt. Invert and chill. Fill with finely shredded cabbage combined with green pepper, moistened with a dressing made of 4 tablespoons sweet cream, 2 teaspoons sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt and 2 tablespoons vinegar.

Green Bean Salad

(Serves 2)
Place green stringless beans, cooked and chilled in individual lettuce cups. Combine 1 tablespoon vinegar, 1/4 teaspoon salt and pepper to taste. Beat with egg beater or shake in a jar until well blended. Mash 3 tablespoons Roquefort cheese and then add oil and vinegar mixture slowly, stirring until very smooth. Pour over beans and serve at once.

Surprise Vegetable Salad

Sliced boiled beets
Sliced boiled string beans
Sliced boiled carrots
Boiled green peas
Boiled lima beans
French dressing
Chopped chives
Boiled potatoes

Prepare and cook separately, in the usual manner, an equal quantity of all the vegetables mentioned in recipe. Boil potatoes with their jackets, peel while still warm and marinate in french dressing while still warm. When ready to serve vegetables, have them well chilled and arrange in layers in a large salad bowl, starting with beets at the bottom, followed by lima beans, then string beans, next with carrots, followed by peas. When all vegetables are used, pour over them a tart, well-seasoned french dressing. Cover the whole with a layer of potatoes, being sure that all the peas are covered. Sprinkle top with fresh, chopped chives and serve.

Molded Cranberry Salad

(Serves 8 to 10)
1/2 pound cranberries
1 medium-sized apple, unpeeled
1 orange and rind
1/2 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 package orange-flavored gelatin
1 cup hot water
1/2 cup cold water
1/2 cup chopped celery

Pick over cranberries, wash and drain well. Grind cranberries, apple and orange (including rind), saving any liquid which remains. Stir in sugar. Cover and set aside while gelatin is dissolved in hot water. Add cold water and allow to become partly jellied, then add cranberry mixture and jelly. This may be poured either into a loaf pan or individual molds rinsed with cold water. Allow to jell, then unmold on lettuce.

Sandwich Fillings

Don't forget that raw vegetables with all their good vitamins and minerals are wonderful as sandwich fillings. Grind raw spinach leaves with crisp bacon, hard-cooked egg, onion, moistened with mayonnaise. Or, combine equal parts of raw carrot and turnip and mix with chopped chives, peanuts and mayonnaise. This is good on French bread.

Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu

- Pan-Fried Liver and Onions
- Creamed Potatoes
- Parsleyed Carrots
- Apple, Carrot Salad
- Whole Wheat Bread
- Lemon Chiffon Pie Beverage

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Greens, be they lettuce, romaine, chicory or escarole, need little else but a dressing for they are perfectly delicious just so and a splendid course for a heavy type of dinner: Salad With Egg Dressing.

- 2 heads of lettuce
- 4 hard-boiled eggs
- 1/2 cup cream
- 1/4 cup lemon juice or cider vinegar
- Salt and pepper
- Prepared mustard

Wash lettuce carefully and dry thoroughly. Put the yolks of the eggs through a ricer and let them drop to the bottom of a well-chilled salad bowl. Add a little prepared mustard and stir with a wooden spoon, adding the cream gradually. Season to taste with the salt and pepper, then add lemon juice and vinegar. Add the lettuce, toss lightly and sprinkle the chopped whites of egg over all. Serve on cold plates.

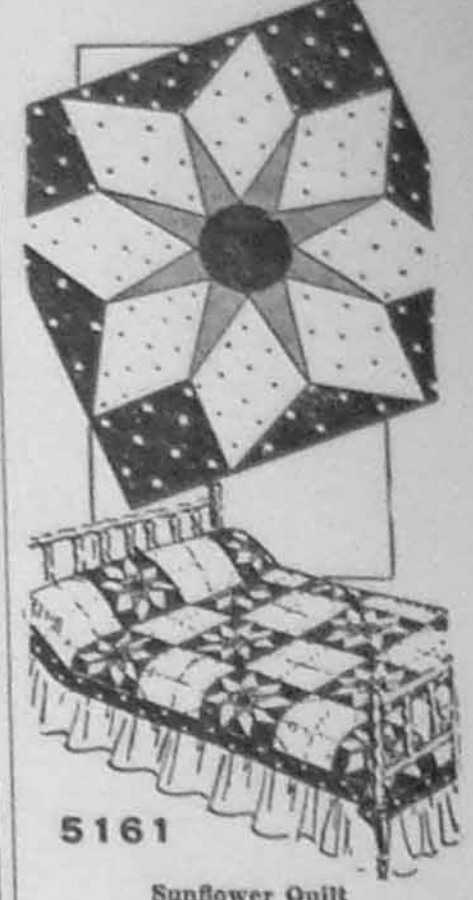
The use of cottage cheese with salads gives them a heartiness which is particularly necessary in the cooler weather. Here is a well-seasoned salad, pretty and colorful: Apple, Carrot, Cottage Cheese Salad

- 3 apples, coarsely diced
- 2 cups shredded raw carrot
- 1 tablespoon onion, finely minced
- 1 cup cottage cheese
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper

Dice unpeeled apples and combine with grated carrot and onion. Add the cottage cheese blended with mayonnaise, lemon juice, salt and pepper. Mix well. Serve on lettuce.

Things to do

THE "Sunflower" is one of the easiest of the quilt designs to make—the diamond-shaped pieces are easy to cut and a block works up quickly. Use brown-leeked percales, tiny patterned cream and



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War Production Swells on McNeel Demonstration Farm in County

Lime, Phosphate Increase Feed for Livestock and Give Higher Farm Output.

Meeting war goals of food and feed production presents no new problems to Moffett McNeel, Extension-TVA demonstration farmer of Hillsboro community, Pocahontas county.

For four years Mr. McNeel has been increasing production and has been strengthening his farm for the even greater output now asked, explains Ben Morgan, county agricultural agent.

Records kept by Mr. McNeel and analyzed by the Agricultural Extension Service of West Virginia University show that the farm's crop yield index (comparison with average yield for state on the basis of 100 for the average) increased 159 in 1939 to 198 for 1940, 218 in 1941, and 248 for 1942.

A comparison of inventories show that there were 38 head of cattle on the farm at the beginning of 1939, 46 at the same time in 1942. Sheep increased from 47 to 84 and hogs from 27 to 60.

The TVA phosphate was applied on small grains seeded with clover and grasses, on permanent pasture, and as a top dressing on meadows.

Minerals Improve Pasture

The thing Mr. McNeel likes to talk about is the way the minerals improve pasture. He keeps untreated check plots, and says the animals taste the grasses from a check plot only once, then pass on to the mineral-rich herbage.

Best of all, he likes to make a fence line comparison with untreated pasture. The fertilized sod is green and thick with nutritious bluegrass and white clover, while the unfertilized pasture is studded with unpalatable straw-colored broomsedge.

Mr. Morgan says that Mr. McNeel's experience in increasing the quantity and quality of pasture and hay by using lime and phosphate is helping other farmers meet war goals.

day, suffering from gall stones. She has been under treatment since then and may have to have an operation.

Mrs. William Simmons received word the past week that her son, Walter Simmons, who is employed in Washington, D. C., had fallen from a scaffold and was badly injured.

Pvt. Howard Gray of the U. S. Army, Camp Edwards, Mass., has been spending a few days with his family.

Corporal Earl Houchin of Marchfield, Calif., accompanied by Miss Eleanor Harris, his three sisters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Moss, all of Canton, Ohio, visited their mother, Mrs. W. S. Bosley, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Eades had as guests the past week, E. L. Fenton, Mr. McAdams, Jim Short, Edward Seitz and George Spanler all of Charleston.

Sim Daskworth was the lucky hunter getting himself a 16-pound turkey on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. George F. Hall were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Brock, of Dunmore, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Keller and son, Lewis, have returned from a few days visit with Mrs. Keller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall, of Clifton Forge, Va. Mrs. Keller's brother, Calvin Hall, who has been in the army since March, stationed in Idaho, has been promoted to sergeant.

M. A. Keller, Jr., and Miss Pearl Sims of Wilson Dale, have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Keller.

Mrs. Max Fawcett, son Henry and Robert Eades, Jr., were business visitors to Elkins, Tuesday.

Mrs. Susanna Hill was choosing in Elkins, Saturday.

BETTER PASTURE—MORE WOOL, MEAT



Moffett McNeel, Pocahontas county demonstration farmer, discusses pasture improvement with his county agricultural agent. As a result of treating his pasture with lime and high-analysis phosphate furnished by the Tennessee Valley Authority for demonstration purposes, he is now able to keep more cattle, sheep, and hogs, producing more meat and wool.

Mountaineer Chaplain in Army Called Crack Shot of His Outfit

"Stonewall" Jackson, West Virginia's most famous soldier, once had a chaplain for his chief of staff, and there have been others who have become famous for their ability and willingness to fight as well as preach.

Chaplain Williams, who was pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Welch from 1926 until he entered the army air corps in 1941, is known around headquarters as an "old squirrel gunner," and he has proved his stuff by turning in a fifty card of skeet, and making a better score with a 50-cal. machine gun against a rapidly-moving target than a 100 aviation cadets young enough to be his grandsons.

Former Squirrel Hunter

Although reluctant to talk about the material side of his career, considering himself primarily a spiritual adviser, the chaplain frankly admits that he isn't as good now as he used to be when he hunted squirrels in West Virginia mountains.

Last month while visiting the flexible gunnery school for aviation cadets at Harlington, Tex., with several ranking air force officers, he was invited to try his skill with a machine gun. The chaplain never had fired one in his life, but after studying the weapon and the several targets moving on a circular track 30 miles per hour, at a distance varying between 200 and 500 yards, he decided that it was just about the same as winging a turkey with a shotgun. He proceeded to prove it by getting 74 hits out of 200 rounds.

Since joining the air corps, Chaplain Williams has been a "flying person" in every sense of the term. Last year he flew over 50,000 miles in the performance of his duties, and has visited many times every base in the Caribbean area. He is one of the best liked officers in the airforce, reports say.

Li. Col. Williams, under appointment by the general assembly helped introduce the "Belmont Covenant Plan" into the Southern Presbyterian

churches in 1934 and 1935; was moderator of Toward a Valley in 1933 of Bluestone in 1928 and of the Synod of West Virginia in 1928.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mullenax announced the birth of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Ryder announced the birth of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Beard.

Mr. Arthur Jackson of Sinks Grove, better known as the "Peters Liniment Man," is making his annual call in the community.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beard were Miss Dorothy Cooper of Baltimore, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Maro Beard of Beck-

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George Kerr of Lumberport, spent the week-end at his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Brown.

Week-end guests at the home of Virginia Hendrickson were her mother, Mrs. Allie Arbogast of Noova, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Arbogast of Elkins.

John Absure of Allentown, Pa., spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Paul Friel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arbogast of Millpoint, spent Sunday with Mrs. Rachel Arbogast.

Mrs. Lola Fultz was taken sudden ill and sent to the hospital at Marlinton, on Saturday.

Mr. N. R. Ryder of Hightown, is spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Madeline Beard and son, Neil, spent Saturday in Staunton.

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SOCIAL DOTS

Chatty Rems About People And Events

Wedding of Edythe Mae Oxendale And Wm. J. Miller Held Here

Miss Edythe Mae Oxendale, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Fred Oxendale of Marlinton, became the bride of Mr. William J. Miller, son of Mr. C. E. Miller, of Huntington, in a high noon ceremony Monday, October 19, at the Marlinton Methodist Church.

Ministers of white chrysanthemums and lighted tapers in the background formed the altar. The traditional wedding ceremony was officiated by Rev. J. L. Clark, pastor of the church.

Miss Edythe was dressed in a gown of blue and white with a black felt hat with blue and white ribbons. Her corsage was Edward A. Moore gave her away.

Miss Margaret Irvine, Mrs. Walter Jett, Miss Betty Pifer, Roscoe Dorrill, Jack Booth and Charles Richardson, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Mirl Irvine of Cass were in Morgantown last week-end attending the Home-

Paul Gladwell has returned from Charleston where he has been attending to business matters. Mr. and Mrs. Craig Richardson and children and Miss Marguerite Weese were in Clarksburg Sunday.

Mrs. Preston McLaughlin, Miss Price McLaughlin and Mrs. W. H. Unger were shopping in Lewisburg Saturday. Walker Dale Irvine of Salineville, O., was called to his home here by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. A. J. Shinaberry.

Adolph Cooper was in Charleston on business last week. Mrs. Lot Wooster of Camden is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. White of Valley Center, Va., and her niece, Mrs. Dick McNeel of Hillsboro.

Miss Kathleen Hill is recovering nicely from a recent tonsil operation. Mrs. Bruce Crickard arrived Sunday to visit with Mrs. J. H. Vaughan. Mrs. James Beard is working at the Bank of Marlinton. Paul Overholt was in Huntington this week attending a buyers' market.

Business Club Active Here

That wide-awake Business and Professional Women's Club of Pocahontas County has really been doing a lot toward the war effort. During Business Women's Club Week, October 10 to 16 the national theme was "Living on the Home Front."

The Club checked up on its girls and found that almost all of them were working for the Red Cross in either the sewing, knitting, or surgical dressings programs. On October 12 when the Army "Salute to Wood" Caravan visited Marlinton, the B. P. W. Club and Rotary Club sponsored a dance in the high school gym which was a big success.

In most of the stores one will find boxes labeled "Jab the Japs With Junk Jewelry." This jewelry means a lot to the boys stationed in the South Pacific who can trade it to the natives for food and for materials with which to make chairs, tables and

other articles. The Club girls feel that with so many of the men away, the items of jewelry are not such necessary adjuncts to personal adornment just now anyway. Incidentally, they would like for anyone to drop old pieces of junk jewelry into the boxes. Two members of the local club are in the Armed services—Miss Mary Elizabeth Berry and Miss Genevieve Moore.

The Club members feel that their "Living on the Home Front" theme is of vital concern to all, since before the country can win the war and the peace in the world, it must first win it on the home front, in our own country. The Business and Professional Women's Club is struggling with problems here at home, under the local leadership of Miss Edith May, and that of the state president, Mrs. Mary Williamson White.

May success attend its efforts! The Pocahontas County U. D. C. met Monday night at the home of Mrs. Mack H. Brooks, president. Miss Edith May sang, accompanied by Mrs. Mary Frances Bratton Moore. Mrs. Brooks gave a history review. Contest games were played, and at the conclusion of the meeting, a salad course was served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Hill of Hillsboro have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Iva Sheets of Meadville, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. O. F. White of Marlinton and Mr. and Mrs. Dick McNeel of Hillsboro were called to Weston recently by the death of Mr. White's mother, Mrs. Martha E. White. She was buried on her 90th birthday, October 10, 1943.

Miss Penny Arbogast underwent a tonsil operation Tuesday at the local hospital. A group of school teachers of McDowell county left Welch Saturday morning for visits. Miss Myrtle VanReenen and Miss Ressie Hill stopped in Marlinton and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wade and Miss Katherine Noel went on to Valley Center, Va., to visit friends. All returned to Welch Sunday afternoon.

Walter Byrd returned to Elkins Saturday after spending a week with his daughter, Mrs. Harper Beverage of Cloverlick. Calvin W. Price will go to Morgantown this week-end to attend the annual Newspaper Publishers Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson and Mrs. Ada Herold were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coe Beverage and Miss Bly Dever.

Announce Engagement of Pfc. Marguerite Williams

Mrs. and Mrs. D. W. Williams, of Marlinton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Pfc. Marguerite J. Williams to Ensign William Doig, son of Mrs. David Doig of 114 Acorn street, Fasttrack, R. I.

The prospective bride, a graduate of Marlinton high school, class of '34, is a member of the Women's Army Corps, and is stationed at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland. Ensign Doig completed his basic training at Norfolk, Va., and is now stationed in California.

No date has been set for the wedding. Mrs. John Gay left last week for a visit at Hinton. Paul Morris and Odie Jackson left Tuesday for Clarksburg to take their final examination for the Seabees.

W. M. Wimer is ill of pneumonia at his home here. E. H. Williams underwent an operation last week at the Charlottesville, Va., hospital for an ear infection. His condition is greatly improved and he is expected to return to his home here this week.

National War Fund

(Continued from page one) Donation 75c, Donation \$1, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stewart \$2, Mrs. A. C. Pifer \$1, W. M. Wimer \$1, Mr. and Mrs. John Hively \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hively \$1, Hunter Taylor 25c, Mrs. Luther Hively 50c, Mrs. Hiday Sprouse \$1, Icy Moore 25c, Talbert Carpenter \$1, Vesta Sharp \$1, Dolly Seccuro \$1, Mrs. Clay Drepper 25c, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fertig \$1, Mt. Zion Farm Woman's Club \$2, Hattie K. Bambrick 50c, Margaret Bambrick 50c, Ruth Taylor \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimes \$1.

Mrs. Andrew Price \$2, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Richardson \$2, Clyde Val-landingham \$1, Mrs. C. P. White \$1, Luther McNeill \$1, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davis \$5, Mrs. Ethel Fuel \$2, Francis McElwee \$3, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burns \$2, Mrs. Lura Brill \$5, Mrs. Nola Underwood \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gay \$2, W. B. Waugh \$5, Mr. and Mrs. June McElwee \$5, Andy Broyles 35c, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hamrick \$2, Mrs. George Shrader \$1, Mrs. Gilbert VanReenan \$1, Mrs. Lucy King \$1, Mrs. G. P. Moore \$1, Mrs. Roy Kellison \$1.50, Mrs. Lee Beverage 25c, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Johnson \$2, Rev. and Mrs. O. G. Olsen and family \$1, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Shelton and family 50c, Mr. and Mrs. William Adleman \$2, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Welch and family \$3, Miss Helen Smith \$1, Mrs. Lena Colson 50c, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barlow and family \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Burr \$2, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Curtis and family \$1, Mrs. Oleta McKissie \$1, Cecil Curry and family \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Norval Pifer and family \$4, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Bear \$2, Mrs. Alice Jackson \$1, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Buckley \$1, Miss Kathryn Wiseman \$1, Miss Ethel Barlow \$1, Mrs. Walter Jett and family \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Elba Callison and family \$5, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon G. Mark \$5, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Kramer and family \$10.

George H. Waugh \$1, Fred Johnson 25c, Marshall Johnson 15c, Joseph Hoover \$1.

A&P FOOD STORES FEATURE POTATOES peck 49c OTHER FRUITS and VEGETABLES SWEET POTATOES 4 lbs 27c ALSO YAMS Tokay Grapes lb. 15c Pascal Celery large stalk 21c California Carrots bunch 11c Cabbage 2 lbs. 8c Cranberries lb. 29c ICEBERG LETTUCE head 13c CRISP, SOLID HEADS lge head 15c WHITE HOUSE EVAPORATED MILK 10 tall cans 85c NEW LOW PRICE!

Salad Dressing 33-oz jar 33c SULTANA Palmolive Soap Regular cake 7c FOR BATH OR TOILET BATH SIZE, 2 for 19c Super Suds large pkg. 23c FOR THE KITCHEN OR LAUNDRY Laundry Soap 3 bars 14c OCTAGON—LIGHTENS CLEANING TASKS Northern Tissue 6 rolls 27c SOFT AND ABSORBENT Pillsbury Flour 10-lb. sack 66c ENRICHED—ALL-PURPOSE Dog Biscuits 2-lb. bag 16c DAILY KIBBLED Gauze Tissue 4 rolls 21c NATIONALLY KNOWN

ANN PAGE Peanut Butter 1-lb. jar 31c POPULAR BRANDS Cigarettes 2 pkgs. 27c Southern Cake Flour pkg 28c Dixie Margarine lb 25c A-Penn Machine Oil 3-oz ht 9c N.B.C. Premium Crackers 1-lb pkg 17c Barry's Biscuits pkg 10c Dazo Vegetable Shortening 3-lb carton 63c Rajah Ground Pepper 1-lb bag 21c Ann Page Macaroni 3-lb pkg 30c Encore Noodles 1-lb pkg 18c Ann Page Malle Wheat 1-oz pkg 15c Ann Page Pancake Flour 20-oz pkg 13c JANE PARKER Ann Page Syrup qt jar 33c Sunnyfield Rice 16-oz pkg 13c Cornstarch Quartered Beets 27-oz glass 14c White Salt Laundry Bleach qt ht 9c Sunnyfield Oil 3-lb pkg 19c OCTAGON SOAP PRODUCTS Octagon Toilet Soap 3 cakes 14c Octagon Soap Powder 3 pkgs 14c Octagon Cleaners 3 pkgs 14c

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN MARLINTON IN THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA At the Close of Business on October 18, 1943, Published in Response to Call Made by Comptroller of the Currency, Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes. ASSETS Loans and discounts (including \$69.91 overdrafts) \$206,599.26 United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 420,463.42 Obligations of States and political subdivisions 20,000.00 Corporate stocks (including \$2,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) 2,000.00 Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection 189,601.01 Bank premises owned \$34,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,500.00 38,000.00 TOTAL ASSETS \$876,663.69 LIABILITIES Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$473,288.85 Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 292,286.96 Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) 32.40 Deposits of States and political subdivisions 39,739.17 Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) 1,112.13 TOTAL DEPOSITS \$806,459.54 TOTAL LIABILITIES \$806,459.54 CAPITAL ACCOUNTS Capital Stock: (a) Common stock, total par \$ 50,000.00 50,000.00 Surplus 16,250.00 Undivided profits 3,254.15 TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 70,204.15 TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$876,663.69 MEMORANDA Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): (a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities 35,000.00 (b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement) 10,000.00 TOTAL \$ 45,000.00 Secured liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law \$ 39,037.52 TOTAL \$ 39,037.52

State of West Virginia, County of Pocahontas, ss: I, J. A. Sydenstricker, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. A. SYDENSTRICKER, Cashier. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of October, 1943. C. B. MOORE, Notary Public. My commission expires July 13, 1950.

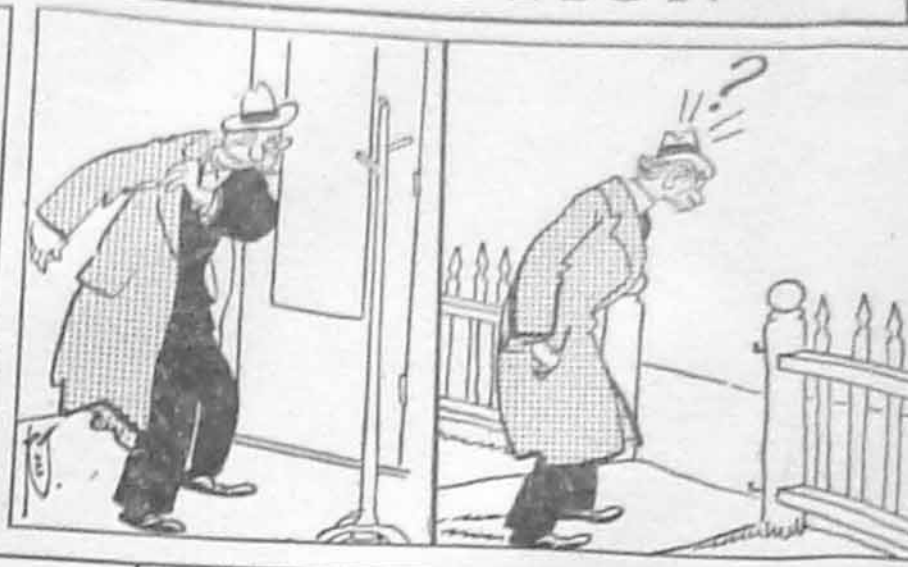
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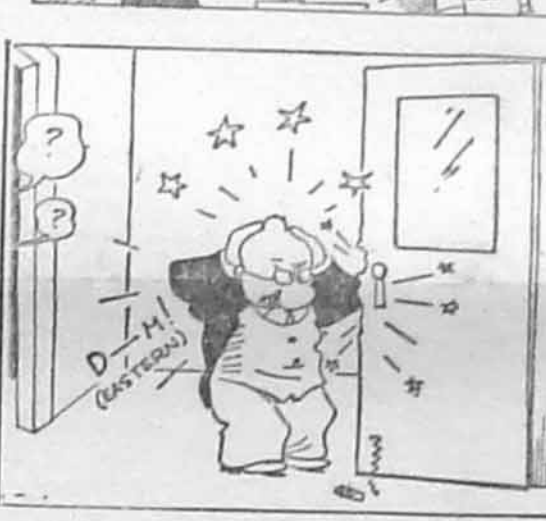
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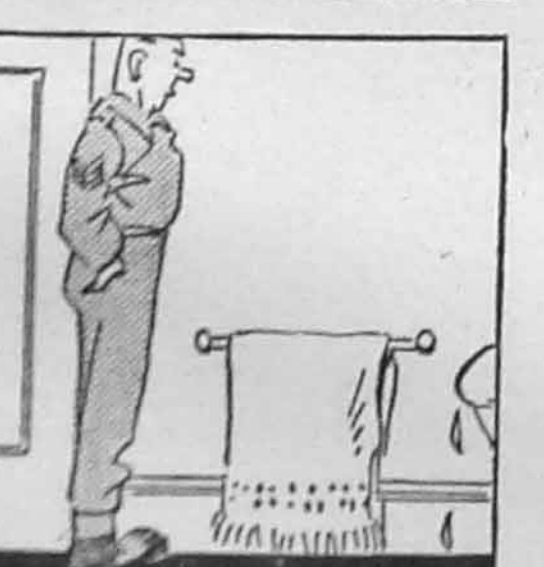
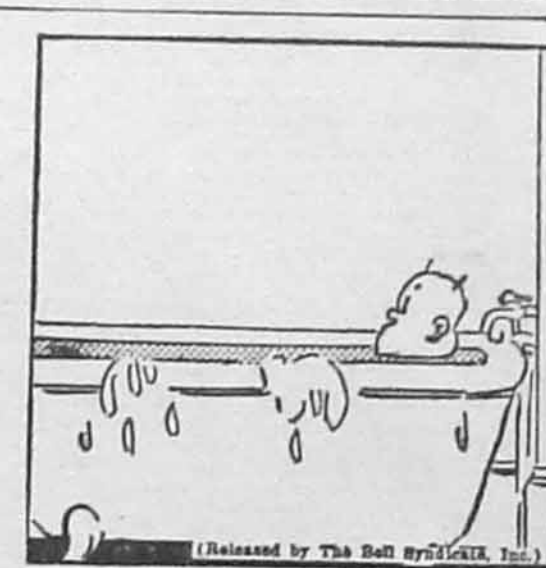
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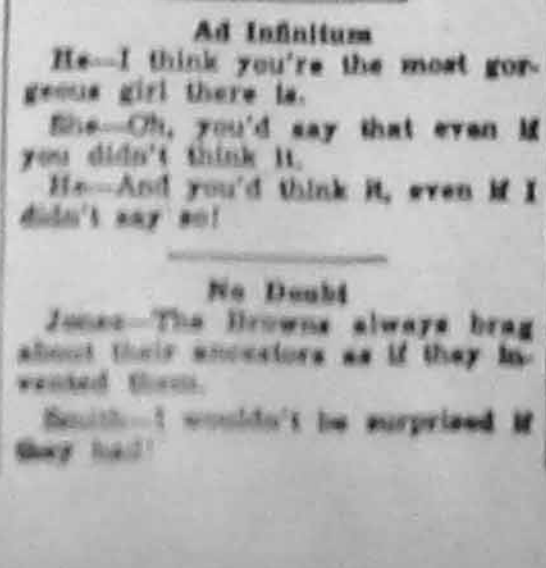
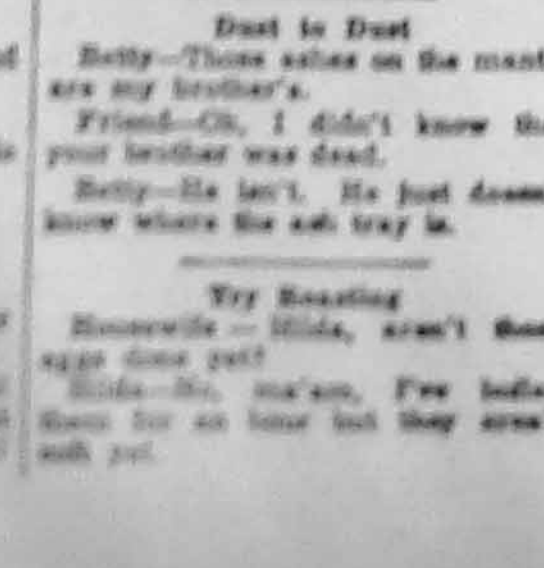
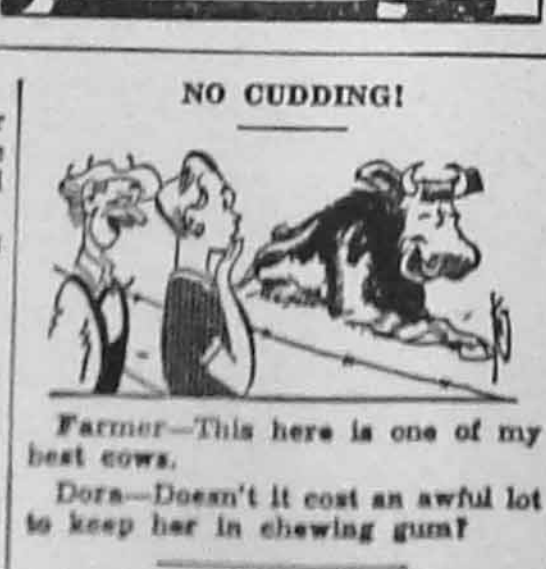
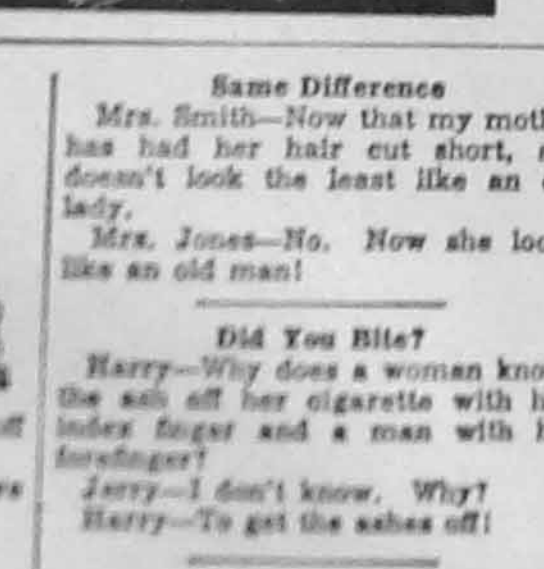
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SOMEBODY'S STENOGRAPHER



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IN THE ARMY

TO YOUR Good Health by DR. JAMES W. BARTON

PSORIASIS



A patient consulted a skin specialist about a chronic case of psoriasis. Psoriasis is an inflammation of the skin in which there are red raised spots covered with dry silvery scales. When the scales are removed a red glistening surface is exposed with fine bleeding points.

"It occurs in all countries, in both sexes, in the young and the old. It is not contagious or infectious but does seem to run in some families."

It heals without forming blisters or leaving a scar. Although no pain or other symptom is present, it causes much distress and embarrassment.

The patient told the skin specialist that he had "tried everything," including physicians' prescriptions and the patent remedies but could obtain no permanent cure. Before he underwent treatment he wanted to know if the specialist could cure him.

The specialist frankly told him that he knew of no "permanent" cure for psoriasis but many of his patients obtained relief for months and years by two simple acts. They got out into the air and sunshine as much as possible and avoided entirely or greatly reduced the amount of fat foods eaten. The very fact that the face and back of hands are seldom attacked by psoriasis would show that sunlight is a factor in preventing psoriasis. In fact some of his patients gave up his and other treatment, the psoriasis disappeared for months or years, and then returned. It is possible that in some of these cases "that cured themselves," the patients got outdoors more, ate less fat foods, and more vegetables and fruits containing vitamins A, C, and D. In others cutting down on fat foods and taking vitamin B1 has given relief.

In Hygieia, the Health Magazine, Maurice J. Costello states that natural sunlight, particularly when combined with salt water bathing, is the most pleasant and convenient and one of the best forms of treatment for chronic psoriasis. Sun-tanning the body is both a temporary cure and a preventive of psoriasis. X-ray treatment is often effective but should be used sparingly under the supervision of a physician X-ray specialist.

The point is that while chronic psoriasis can be helped for periods of time by official and non-official preparations, sunlight and cutting down on fat foods give best results.

Emotional Spasms Prevent Swallowing

Some years ago I spoke about a middle-aged woman who had suffered for years with an arthritis that kept her almost bedridden. She began to complain that her food stuck "half way down" the esophagus, the tube carrying the food to the stomach; she was sure that a growth was blocking the tube. Her physician pointed out that if there was a growth or obstruction present, it would block the food every time she ate solid food whereas there were times when she ate solid food without feeling any block in the tube. In order to convince her he took her to the X-ray department of a large hospital and by the aid of a fluoroscope and mirror she was able to see food pass directly from throat down the tube to the stomach without any delay whatever.

There was no question but that she felt the delay must have been present at times but only because there was a spasm of the tube, not any real obstruction present. The cause of the spasm was emotional.

In Radiology, Drs. W. B. Faulkner, F. H. Rodenbaugh and John R. O'Neill show that emotional upsets may produce a disturbance in the esophagus which can be discovered by the X-rays and by the use of the esophagoscope (instrument showing condition of esophagus). They noticed this first in a routine fluoroscopic (X-rays) examination of patient with a severe spasm of esophagus. The spasm, clearly seen, disappeared when a chance statement was made that pleased the patient while a statement that displeased the patient brought on the spasm again.

It can thus be seen that if a barium meal is given when the patient is upset or nervous a spasm may occur which causes a "blocked" feeling, whereas if patient is relaxed there will be no blocked feeling.

QUESTION BOX

Q.—How can you correct outstanding ears?

A.—A slight operation will correct outstanding ears.

Q.—What are the symptoms of inflammation of the middle ear? Of the eustachian tube?

A.—Symptoms are pain in ear and head, later running ear. Your physician may treat this or refer you to an ear specialist if he thinks it is necessary.

PATTERNS SEWING CIRCLE



School Belle
A CLASSIC for the school-girl wardrobe, this casual jumper with the set-in belt and ample pockets will make her eyes sparkle even more brightly, getting her off to a perfect start.

Nightgown Set
STUNNING nightgown—so flattering and so comfortable. The simple little bed-jacket will come in handy many a time.

Barbara Bell Pattern No. 1835-B designed for sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 40 and 42. Corresponding bust measurements 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42. Size 14 (32) gown requires 4 1/2 yards 35-inch material, bed jacket 1 1/2 yards.

ASK ME ANOTHER? A General Quiz

- The Questions
1. What were Clotho, Lachesis and Atropos in mythology?
 2. How many nations are included in what we call "The United Nations"?
 3. How many tons of blueprints go into the making of a 35,000-ton battleship?
 4. In law what is the meaning of pro tempore?
 5. Which continent has the greatest area?

- The Answers
1. The three fates.
 2. Thirty-four.
 3. Approximately 37 tons of blueprints are needed in the building of one 35,000-ton battleship.
 4. For the time being.
 5. Asia.

St. Joseph ASPIRIN

Wages in Washington
The average salary of the 280,000 government employees in Washington today is about \$47.75 a week.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666
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WHILE we have pushed Camel's production to new peaks to meet this overwhelming demand from Uncle Sam's fighting men and from the folks at home, yet if your dealer does not always have Camels for you, he asks you to be patient while he is temporarily out of them, believing you will agree that the men in the service should come first.

* Based on actual sales records, the favorite cigarette with men in the Army, the Navy, the Coast Guard, and the Marines is Camel.



GREENBANK NEWS

BUTTERBAUGH FUNERAL

Funeral rites for McKinley Butterbaugh, 42, a veteran of the first World War and son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Butterbaugh of near Green Bank, were held at the home in Morgantown, at 2 p. m., Friday, with the Rev. Arthur E. Beckett officiating. Burial was in the Beverly Hills Memorial Park.

Mr. Butterbaugh had resided in Morgantown for the past 15 years, and was a member of the post of Veterans of Foreign Wars, having served over seas eleven months in the first World War. He died at the Veterans hospital, Bronx, N. Y. He was well and favorably known in the Green Bank community.

Surviving, besides his parents, are his widow, Mrs. Ellen Brock Butterbaugh, a son, Lester, of Jacksonville, Fla., three daughters, Mrs. Lyle Haines and Misses Ruth and Norma Butterbaugh of Morgantown; four sisters, Mrs. Volley Ray, Mrs. Lily Dean and Mrs. I. Sharp of Green Bank, and Mrs. Ola Wooddell of Meadville, Pa.; three brothers, Gilbert, of Mt. Morris, Pa.; Jake, of Detroit, Mich., and George, of Durbin, and two grand-children.

Mrs. Howard Wooddell of Meadville, Pa.; Jake Butterbaugh and sons, Ralph and Kenneth, of Detroit, Mich., and Lester Butterbaugh, of Jacksonville, Fla., have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Butterbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Butterbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Icie Sharp have returned from Morgantown, where they attended the funeral of their son and brother, Mr. Butterbaugh is ill and was unable to attend his son's funeral.

Corp. Robert Wooddell who is stationed in Arkansas, is spending a week's furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oda Wooddell.

Randolph Bledsoe, who was formerly employed by the West Penn. and who has been in the army for a year, was visiting friends here recently.

Mrs. Ira Sheets and daughter, Mary Katherine, of Meadville, Pa., visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lewis Taylor, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor of Covington, Va., were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dolly were week-end guests at the Milton Dolly home in Pendleton county.

Lieut. Steryl Brown of the U. S. Marines, spent the week-end at his home. He was accompanied to Staunton on Sunday by his sisters, Misses Mary, Mildred and Louise Brown, and David Smith.

Attending the funeral of Mrs. Lyla Renick Dickson at Second Creek on Wednesday, were Mr. and Mrs. George Hasnah, Mrs. John Hannah and Mrs. L. C. McCutcheon. Mrs. Dickson is a cousin of the Hannahs and has visited often in this community, where she had many friends. She is the mother of Edgar Dickson, who was secretary to former Governor Kemp. The funeral was held at the Dickson home at Second Creek.

Mrs. Clark McCutcheon and Miss Margaret Lightner were shopping in Marlinton, Saturday.

Those from Green Bank attending the dinner and Harvest-day sale at Dunmore, Saturday, were Rev. Hobart Childs, Madames Forrest Hedrick, Ake Deane, L. C. McCutcheon and Mrs. Lucy Mooman.

Food Lantz went to Charleston, Monday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lantz and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Matheny, were Thursday visitors in Marlinton.

Mr. Henry Lantz returned to his work in Baltimore, Friday, after a few days visit at his home here.

The Green Bank graded school teachers will leave Wednesday to attend S. E. A. in Charleston.

The Green Bank high school football team were defeated at White Sulphur Springs, Nov. 19-22.

Editor Reed Dutton of the Weekly Independent, Walker Springs, was a weekend visitor in Green Bank.

Dr. and Mrs. Cady, of Berger, were calling on Green Bank friends Saturday. They were going to Romney to spend their winter in the army.

F. W. Marlow and David E. Smith, young members of Green Bank high school, and Jack Hannah and Albert Lantz, of White Sulphur Springs, attended a meeting of the F. F. A. in Morgantown, Saturday. All four are a member of the sponsoring committee.

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Westminster Church Observes Anniversary

The Westminster Presbyterian congregation on Knappa Creek observed the 40th anniversary of the organization of the church last Sunday. A service was held at the church at 11 a. m., with the pastor, Rev. W. Hobart Childs, in charge. Aubrey E. Ferguson of Marlinton preached the sermon. Mrs. Hobart Childs sang "The Twenty-third Psalm," and Mr. Coe Beverage spoke briefly about the history of the church. Information taken from the anniversary bulletin follows:

The Organization Of WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

On October 25, 1903, a Commission appointed by Presbytery to organize a Church at Sunset, West Virginia, met at the Church and received the following members:

- CHARTER MEMBERS
* L. W. Herold
* Winston Herold
* Lockridge Herold
* Moser Herold
* Divers McElwee
* Mrs. Maggie Lockridge
* Mr. Dennis Dever
* Mrs. Allie Dever
* Mr. B. F. Freshman
* Mrs. B. F. Freshman
* Miss Annie Freshman
* Mr. P. L. Cleek
* Mrs. P. L. Cleek
* Miss Annie Cleek
* Miss Belle Cleek
* Miss Lillian Cleek
* Mr. J. A. Cleek
* Mr. George Hamilton
* Mr. Roy Crummett
* Mrs. Frank Dever
* Mrs. Hugh Dever
* Mrs. Myrta Moore
* Mrs. Wise Herold
* Amos Herold
* Henry Herold
* Mrs. Ada Sharp
* Mrs. Mariah Herold
* Mr. Millard Herold
* Letcher Herold
* Forest Herold
* Mr. Coe Beverage
* Mrs. Coe Beverage

(All received by letter from Huntersville Presbyterian Church) Miss Maude Lockridge

(Received on profession of faith)
* Deceased
The following Officers were elected the same Sunday by the Commission:

- ELDERS
Mr. L. W. Herold, Mr. P. S. Cleek, Mr. Coe Beverage and Mr. A. L. Herold.
DEACONS
Mr. Wise Herold and Mr. J. A. Cleek

CASS NEWS

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

Marshall Shinaberry was the leader of the Young People's League at the Cass Methodist church last Sunday night. The "relude," "Are Ye Able, Said The Master," was played by Bertha Lee Dill. Maxine Fisher gave a talk, "Make the Best of Your Talents." Then the song, "Are Ye Able, Said The Master," was sung by the congregation. Following this came a talk by Marie Dill, "Tithing." The song, "I am Thine, O Lord," was then sung. Ted Shinaberry gave a talk, "The Best of Our Lives." Another song, "I'll Live For Him," was sung. Following this came a short play, "Flowers," given by Bertha Lee Dill and Maxine Shinaberry. At the end of the play, the choir sang "Give of Your Best to the Master." Then the congregation repeated the Lord's prayer together. Maxine Fisher then made the announcements and the league was dismissed by repeating the league benediction.

Mrs. French Kirkpatrick, of Marlinton, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rechards.

Mrs. J. B. Sutton left Thursday for Charleston, where she will visit her niece, Miss Audra Friel for some time.

Mr. William Wooddell of Detroit, was visiting here and Green Bank last week.

I-C Petty Officer S. Arnold Willhide, Jr., of Camp Peary, Va., spent a 62-hour leave last week.

Pvt. Jim Brice, who has been in foreign service, is visiting his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Richards left last week for Huntington, where they will visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Huffman.

Junior Arbogast of Berger, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Arbogast.

Miss Ruth Rethken was a guest of Miss Dallas Butterbaugh, at Frank, last Thursday.

Miss Betty Wooddell, who attends Mountain State Business College at Parkersburg, is visiting her uncle, Joe Wooddell.

J. Ellen Hall of the army, returned to an army camp in New Mexico, after visiting his wife and son.

Pfc. Arnold Porter, who has been in foreign service more than a year is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keyser, Mrs. Richard Porter and daughter, of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Stanley visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stanley, Sunday, in Vindex, Md.

Mr. Frank Field of Charleston, and Edward Seitz had a chicken dinner at Odie Cassell's last Saturday. Mr. Field thinks he will visit Odies every grouse season if that dinner is a sample.

Dan Derby and Edward Seitz of Charleston, are grouse hunting for a few days, but the grouse know it.

Bee Seitz, Edward Seitz and wife are visiting Mrs. Anna Seitz.

DUNMORE NEWS
The Ingathering Service held at the Presbyterian church, Saturday, October 23, was well attended. The Rev. Edward Williams of Renick, gave a splendid talk in the morning

Swago Farm Club Meets at McNeill's

The Swago Farm Women's Club met with Mrs. Eleanor McNeill, at six visitors present.

Mrs. W. J. Yeager led the devotional, which opened with the "Sweet Hour of Prayer," followed by Scripture and a lovely poem, "Autumn Days." A talk on Present Day Living was given by Mrs. Yeager and closed with prayer.

Miss Madalyn McNeill, president, conducted the business session, which was mainly taken up with completion of committee reports preparatory to the Annual County Farm Women's Achievement Day program, to be held in Marlinton, Nov. 13. All projects were completed by 25 members, which was mostly on food conservation, gardening, canning and poultry raising.

All members subscribed to the National War Fund and the club also gave \$1.00 as well as \$1.00 each to the China Relief Fund and the local 4-H club.

Mrs. W. H. Rogers reported that hours credit given to the club for garments sewed or knitted this year.

The club lesson, "Care and Repair of Clothing," was led by Mrs. Eleanor McNeill. A demonstration on made over clothing was given by Mrs. Edna Kellison, which was very interesting. A discussion about modeled and made over into new clothes during the year.

Man's interesting facts were brought out in the lesson on how to conserve the clothing we already have.

Old materials are found to be superior in quality; better dyes, less skimp in quality and present a nice appearance if kept well pressed and cared for.

We adjourned after Mrs. McNeill read the club paper, "Swago Farm Clubbox," to meet with Mrs. Frank Loudermilk, Nov. 19.

Delicious pumpkin pie was served by the hostess.

THORNY CREEK NEWS
Husking corn has been the order of the day in this neighborhood, but most of the people have finished and are getting their winter's wood.

John Hively has been getting out dyewood, with Mr. McKinley Waugh doing the hauling.

Pvt. Everett Dille, Jr., spent a ten day furlough at home with his parents. While he was at home his sisters, Misses Jean and Jane Dille, who have a position in Baltimore, spent a few days at home.

John and W. A. Hively have taken in some cattle to winter for R. L. Reed of Staunton, Va.

Several people of this community attended the ingathering at the Baxter church at Dunmore, last Saturday and report a fine time. All donations sold well.

Bobby Waugh of Dunmore, spent



That's the spirit behind Your Ration Board

Those are good neighbors of yours down at the local War Price and Rationing Board. Every day they do a job that has to be done - a war job. It takes patience and long hours. But they're glad to do it. They're proud to serve - without pay.

That's democracy at work! It's a tough job your neighbors have taken on. Your applications, your stamps and coupons, your price control questions - mean endless detail and care. They treat your problems as if they were their own. Extra shoes for a fast-growing daughter - tires and gas for a newcomer in town - more sugar for Mrs. Jones' home canning...

They try to be fair with everyone. And when they have to turn someone down - well, it isn't easy. Everyone's a friend or neighbor!

But they know they're serving their country as well as their community. And every now and then you make their work lighter - when you turn to them and say, "Thanks, neighbor."

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Advertisement for "We Are Buying War Bonds—Are You?" featuring a row of photographs of men in military uniforms and a man in a wheelchair.

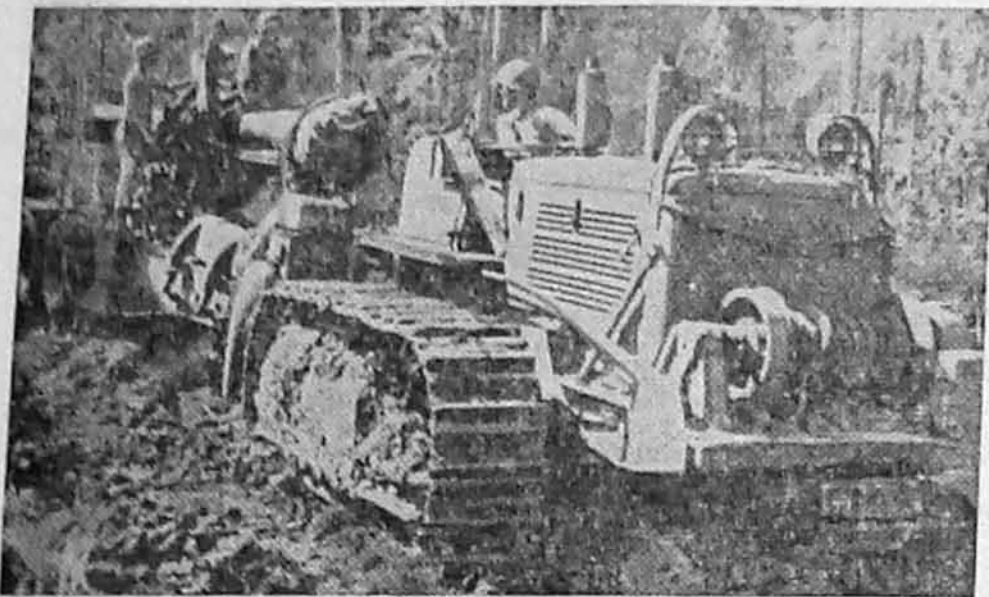
Advertisement for QUICK RELIEF FROM STOMACH ULCERS AND EXCESS ACID. Text: "Stomach ulcers and excess acid are common ailments. This medicine provides quick relief." Includes an illustration of a person holding their stomach.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including "National CONTR" and a list of names and amounts.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Muddy Terrain Slows Drive in Italy As Nazis Strengthen Mountain Posts; Germany Rushes Troops to Bolster Broken Defense Lines on Red Front

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Marines are shown hauling 155 mm. rifle through mud to new position on tropical Rendova island in the central Solomons. Known as "Long Toms," these 155 mm. field pieces soon went to work to hurl shells into Jap posts seven miles away.

ITALY: New Difficulties

To add to the Allies' difficulties in Italy, heavy rain has bogged the countryside, and new burdens have been imposed on the lines of communication bringing supplies to the front.

Because of the inability of motor vehicles to operate over the muddy and mountainous terrain, the Allies are relying increasingly on horses, burros and mules. But they are finding it hard to obtain them since the Germans took most of these animals out of southern Italy or shot those they could not take, and the Fighting French have been unwilling to give up the horses, etc., they have in North Africa for fear of breaking up their mounted units.

Encouraged by Allied difficulties, Nazi Marshal Kesselring reportedly has reinforced his army fighting a dogged delaying action in the rugged country. After retreating from the Volturno river line, the Germans took up positions on the 2,500-foot-high Massico ridge, where they were expected to make another stand before dropping back to the mountains farther north.

Try to Maintain Morale

On October 17, 1918, Germany's General Erich Ludendorff declared: "The tension of the individual man has reached a degree which cannot be increased."

Not long after Germany cracked under the strain, and steady, dynamic General Ludendorff fell apart with the rest. Today, Germany's Hitler, Goebbels and Goering remember 1918, and the Nazis are working feverishly to hold up the people's morale against the Allies' shattering air attacks.

Hitler has ordered the construction of underground concrete hospitals in battle zones, as well as first aid posts and auxiliary hospitals in the cellars of the most solid buildings. Newspapers are carrying on a concerted campaign to educate the people in treatment of eye injuries caused by the heat, smoke, dust, glass splinters and phosphorus clouds generated by bombing raids.

HOME FRONT: FDR Meets Labor Leaders

Answering labor's complaint against the stabilization of wages in the face of a 5 per cent increase in the cost of living since last year, President Roosevelt promised AFL and CIO leaders that the retail price would be rolled back through producers' or processors' subsidies.

FDR met with the labor leaders even as there were rumblings of discontent among the railway unions over wage raises. The non-operating railway union was kicking because Economic Stabilization Director Fred Taylor had set aside an eight-cent-an-hour pay boost recommended by a government mediation board, while the operating railway union claimed they were "denied" by another mediation panel's award of a four-cent-an-hour increase after they had asked for three dollars a day.

In hearings before the War Labor Board, testimony and existing coal contracts stipulated by a new contract between Mine Workers and the United Mine Workers, which would limit daily wages between \$3 and \$4.75 by increasing the working day to 10 hours, including all travel time to and from the pit.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

WAGERS: The House has passed the 1944 minimum wage law, which will set a floor of 40 cents an hour for workers in 20 industries. The law is expected to be signed by the president.

UNEMPLOYMENT: Because of the shortage of men in the armed forces, the War Relocation Authority is planning to employ 100,000 Japanese-Americans in the war effort.

RUSSIA: Nazis 'Darkest Hour'

As Russian troops poured across the Dnieper river and promised to trap 1,000,000 German soldiers from the rear, word came from Berlin that the Nazis admitted they faced their darkest hour.

Upon the shoulders of Hitler's army fell the gigantic task of blunting the Russian drive before it could roll southward across the southern Ukraine's broad plains and trap the Germans from behind while they held the line against other Red forces attacking from the front.

As the German lines sagged, the Nazis were reported rushing thousands of troops from the Crimea, immediately to the south. In Melitopol, German and Russian soldiers fought in the streets of the ruined city, with enemy machine gunners operating from charred buildings to delay the Reds' advance.

Both sides sustained heavy losses in men and materiel.

Big Three Meet

Behind the high walls of Russia's forbidding Kremlin, U. S. Secretary of State Cordell Hull, British Foreign Minister Anthony Eden and Soviet Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov started conferences designed to bring their countries closer together in the military, political and economic fields.

While Molotov was expected to raise the issue of the U. S. and Britain opening a second front in western Europe to draw off some of the 200 German divisions facing Russia in the east, it was said Hull and Eden would attempt to persuade the Reds to reconsider their demands for postwar annexation of the Baltic states and parts of Poland, Rumania and Finland.

As the conferees met, it was announced the U. S., Britain and Canada had entered into a new lend-lease agreement with Russia, promising her additional food and military supplies this winter.

48-HOUR WEEK: For More Production

To meet the demand for record production, the War Manpower Commission ordered 71 different areas to go on a 48 hour week, and advised 112 others to prepare to shift to the longer work period.

To make up for the shortage of manpower, the WMC determined on the 48 hour week to get more production per person. Previously, the 48 hour week had been in effect in 43 out of 71 areas where the WMC had declared a labor scarcity existed. Now, the remaining 31 areas must go on the longer week.

In the other 112 areas, the WMC saw the possibility of a labor shortage. If such a shortage impends, preparations will be made to meet it before it starts to interfere with production.

The 48-hour week already has been instituted in such industries as logging, non-ferrous mining and smelting, and iron and steel.

In the Headlines . . .

Accustomed to returning to darkened cells, incommunicado of Georgia's state prison were surprised to find their quarters ablaze with light one night and radios available.

The changes were in line with Governor Ellis Arnall's sweeping prison reform, marked by legislative action to ban whipping and shackles, and liquidation of the dreaded chain gang camps.

When 23-year-old Civil war vet Frank M. Frary died in Denver, Colo., recently, it was discovered that he had been carrying \$81,610 in his vest pocket for the last two years.

A retired conductor from the Burlington railroad, Frary had converted securities into cash two years ago, and kept the money wrapped in brown paper in his vest pocket up to his death. Twenty-six relatives share in his estate.

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC: Japs Build Air Bases

While they are slowly being squeezed out of the Solomons and central New Guinea, the Japanese are feverishly constructing a string of bomber and fighter bases on the Celebes islands and the Dutch East Indies to the west.

Reconnaissance by Allied planes reveals that the Japs have laid many new concrete runways in these territories, and are laying up stores of supplies in warehouses spread around these air centers.

Apparent purpose of these air bases is to thwart any move General MacArthur might make against the rich oil, quinine and tin lands of the Indies from Australia to the east, or Lord Mountbatten might make from India to the north.

WORLD WAR II: Toughest Yet

Japan is building more planes than we are destroying, and she has not as yet called all of her eligible draftees or young men between the ages of 17 and 20, U. S. military experts told congressmen in secret session.

Because the Japs have 500,000 soldiers massed within striking distance, the Allies would be confronted with difficult problems of defense in case Russia granted the U. S. bombing bases in Siberia, the congressmen were told.

The military experts declared that the Germans were concentrating their fighter planes on breaking up Allied bombing formations, and that, in many cases, the German pilots were purposely colliding with our big sky fortresses.

GOLD: U. S. Holds Two-thirds

Of the world's gold supply of 33 billion dollars, the U. S. holds 22 billion dollars, or two-thirds, while the British Empire controls almost four billion dollars.

Of the remaining gold supply, over four billion dollars is in the hands of Germany and Japan as a result of their conquests. Germany itself possesses no more than 29 million dollars of gold, while Japan has 164 million dollars. South American gold stocks approximate one billion dollars.

Interest in the gold supply heightened with indications that the U. S. and Britain intended to make the precious metal the basis for world currency after the war, with the value of all money being founded upon the gold reserve behind it.

SCHOOL BILL: Killed in Senate

Following adoption of an amendment by Senator William Langer (N. D.) against racial discrimination in the use of funds, the senate killed the 300 million dollar public education bill.

Under terms of the bill, states would have received 200 million dollars in federal funds for school uses during the war, and 100 million dollars in additional permanent grants. Major portions of the money would have gone toward increasing teachers' salaries.

In introducing his amendment, Senator Langer said some states would not apportion the money equitably for the benefit of all races. Despite Senator Langer's assertion, the Negro teachers' association and the National Association for the Advancement of Colored Children supported the bill.

BUTTER

A new butter extender called "Type" has been developed by the dairy department of the University of Wisconsin. It will be on the market shortly, says Dr. E. G. Weckel of the college of agriculture.

"While the product is not a substitute for butter," he explains, "it is expected that it will ease the demand for butter and stabilize prices."

It is made wholly of dairy products, and is of the consistency of cream cheese.

Washington Digest

Battle Tides to Influence 1944 Political Campaign

Close Observers Change Minds, Express Belief President Will Not Be Candidate if War Ends by Spring.

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As the political campaign, which will be over in a short year, begins to increase in tempo, it is interesting to note that noticeable shock recorded by the reporters at a recent White House press and radio conference when the President tossed off that phrase "when I am out of the White House."

Taken in the context, it was immediately clear that the President did not delimit the time element in this statement and there was no real justification for the startled pause when pencils stopped scribbling and heads and eyebrows went up at the presidential remark. Mr. Roosevelt was merely pointing out, in connection with the postwar rubber situation, that he believed that any proposed tariff to protect the synthetic rubber plants after the war should be vetoed, and he implied that any President who vetoed such a measure might stir up a lot of opposition from the synthetic rubber manufacturers.

But we have become so accustomed to the idea that Mr. Roosevelt himself thinks only in terms of his own regime without time or other limitations, that an expression which seemed to indicate the opposite naturally caused a stir.

However, it is entirely possible that Mr. Roosevelt will not be a candidate in 1944. There are even those who enjoy making rash prophecies who are already saying he has made up his mind not to run at all under any circumstances. This type of prediction is accepted in Washington as being in that class of guesses which have about a 40-60 chance of being right.

But closer observers who do not choose to guess the President's inner thoughts but are thoroughly familiar with his manner of thinking, deduce, from what they believe is past experience, that he will not be a candidate if the war is over by next spring. This is contrary to earlier prognostications that his desire to be President when the blue-prints for the postwar world are being drawn would incline him toward running for a fourth term. The explanation is that he will not run unless he has more than an even chance of winning.

End of Conflict

Although none of the army or navy officers of the top command will allow themselves to be quoted as saying the war will end early in 1944, a number of bolder and less constrained military folk are willing to say this is possible.

It is interesting to consider that a year ago this summer, when many believed that invasion of northern Europe by the Allies would be undertaken by the spring of 1943, few people were predicting, even under such circumstances, an end of the war early in 1944. Take for instance a typical comment in a leading periodical (Harper's) written very little over a year ago in which it was said that Germany must complete the conquest of key positions in Russia, must halt or control the Anglo-American onslaught from the air, and must hold northern Africa for a sortie in the Middle East. When we consider what has happened since, we can see the progress which has been made. Far from any action in which the word "conquest" could be used, the Wehrmacht in Russia has been driven beyond its last Russian defense lines in many places. The dream of an African empire has become the reality of bitter defeat and despite desperate defense measures, the most powerful air blows are being struck against the Reich.

Japanese Situation

Within the year, Japan's power has begun to crumble at a rate and in a manner which makes it plain that she will not have to be beaten back island by island and every Jap on foreign soil killed. The Mikado's "unconquerables" have become exceedingly adept at getting away from points once expected to be last stands, with remarkable alacrity and apparent satisfaction in their own retreatability.

Therefore, it is not at all impossible that the President, if he intends voluntarily to retire with the end of the fighting, means that he will be

"out of the White House" at his own behest, before the ideas of November, '44.

This situation, if it does arise, imposes an interesting problem for the Democrats. It is pretty generally agreed that the conservative element in the Democratic party has been gaining in power in the last months when the President bestowed positions of key importance on the right wing of the party while many New Dealers faded into the background.

When Vice President Wallace, whom it was taken for granted would be the President's choice as a successor, was dropped and his activities placed in the more conservative hands of Messrs. Hull, Crowley, et al., it was plain that the original New Dealers were being relegated to the rear of the hall.

GOP Attitude

And while the burning highlights of the administration portrait are being toned down to more sober hues, the Republicans seem to be outdoing themselves in an effort to show that they can make use of the bright lexicon of youth as a reference work and select from it promising shibboleths who speak of action rather than reaction.

Of course, Mr. Willkie does not speak for the Republican party but he has a following which his supporters hope will be reinforced by disgruntled former New Dealers as well as others whose leanings, although they have never been such that they could wholeheartedly support a Democratic regime, are still far enough left to demand the most progressive candidate offered under any other respectable banner.

Meanwhile, of course, the President must, according to the inviolable principles of politics, show no signs of intending to withdraw, since it is written that you can't control your party unless there is a fair chance that you are going to continue to be its active head.

Our political campaign of 1944 is bound to be affected by the tide of battle abroad.

General Arnold Explains

On a mild day, with the Virginia countryside warm in the glow of autumn, and the Potomac sparkling in the sunlight, some 50 newsmen—correspondents, columnists, radio commentators—climbed up the wide stone steps of the river entrance to the famous Pentagon building.

General Arnold, chief of America's army air forces, took his seat and began to talk. The gist of his words you have read. What he felt can only be guessed but he was faced with the proposition of "explaining the obvious" and he seemed just a little weary at the prospect. Arnold is a pleasant but blunt-spoken fighting man with wings and service ribbons won in service.

A few days before, he happened to listen to a commentator who was computing in dollars and lives and material the cost of the bombing raid of the great ball-bearing factory in Schweinfurt, Germany.

The general was exceedingly irked. What the commentator did not perhaps realize was the number of endless explanations of "the obvious" which General Arnold has had to make since we entered the war. And if Germany does crumble because her war effort is smashed, it will be Arnold's explanations as well as the bombs themselves that ought to get the credit.

If he had not been able to "explain" that American bombers could fly in sufficient numbers into the heart of Germany in the light of day and hit a target with the precision to destroy it, we would never have a chance to prove it could be done. There were few in high places either here or in Britain who believed such an absurd, untried thing was practical. But he had his chance and proved his thesis. Then, when the experts were convinced, when he was beginning to swing into action, the public began to exclaim at the cost of his raids. That must have been hard to take.

And so he sat for an hour reeling off figures, recounting details which will never be printed until peace comes and, most effective of all for the layman, showing the greatly enlarged photographs of the destruction these great daylight precision raids accomplished.

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

Uncle Sam's fighting sailors, guarding an island outpost in the Pacific, conducted a third war loan drive of their own and bought \$52,223 bonds and one \$100 bond.

Twice as many bubble pins and hairpins, necessary feminine items, will be produced during 1944 as at present, under a recent War Production board action.

A Zurich dispatch to the Swedish newspaper Aftonbladet said that the loss of the Kuban area in Russia had deprived the Nazis of 30,000 tons of tobacco a year.

A census of the German people, the first since the outbreak of war in 1939, will be taken October 16, the Nazi home radio has informed the German people.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS For a different flavor, substitute brown for white sugar in pudding. Save all old leather from old shoes for mending, for soft and pliable. Those extra unused paper doilies will stay clean and wrinkle-proof if rolled up and placed inside a mailing tube. Tie paper or cloth over each end. Dates filled with cheese, with peanut butter make a good snack to top off lunch. Serve them with crackers. Do not allow cover crops in the vegetable garden to attain an under, as then decomposition is often very slow. So you may always know right where to find a spool of thread when you want it, take a board one inch thick, four inches wide and five to six inches long. Drive seven-penny nails through the board every two inches. Then mark off points of nails and keep your thimble and spools of thread in the resulting spindles. To make a convenient platform for scrub pails, or other cleaning equipment that has to be moved from room to room, simply attach rollers to a piece of board about 15 inches square. It saves a lot of lifting and makes cleaning easier. In ironing cuffs, collars, lapels, or any other part of a rayon garment that requires pressing on the right side, remember to use a pressing cloth between the fabric and the iron.

Best-Known For Externally Relieving Miseries of Baby's Colds Mothers, when a young child catches cold—be moderate—and relieve distress without dosing, without upsetting the stomach. At bedtime rub Vicks VapoRub on the throat, chest and back. It is what most young mothers do because VapoRub works direct two ways at once—and keeps on working for hours to bring relief—to ease coughing—relieve muscular soreness or tightness—and invite restful, comforting sleep. Often by morning most of the misery of the cold is gone! Try it tonight. When you see how VapoRub relieves distress of children's colds you should understand why it is the best-known home remedy of its kind in the world. It's just as good for grown-ups, too. Time-tested VICKS VAPORUB

Bananas 3,000 Years Ago Bananas, one of the world's oldest cultivated crops, were mentioned in Chinese writings of more than 3,000 years ago. A few days before, he happened to listen to a commentator who was computing in dollars and lives and material the cost of the bombing raid of the great ball-bearing factory in Schweinfurt, Germany. The general was exceedingly irked. What the commentator did not perhaps realize was the number of endless explanations of "the obvious" which General Arnold has had to make since we entered the war. And if Germany does crumble because her war effort is smashed, it will be Arnold's explanations as well as the bombs themselves that ought to get the credit. If he had not been able to "explain" that American bombers could fly in sufficient numbers into the heart of Germany in the light of day and hit a target with the precision to destroy it, we would never have a chance to prove it could be done. There were few in high places either here or in Britain who believed such an absurd, untried thing was practical. But he had his chance and proved his thesis. Then, when the experts were convinced, when he was beginning to swing into action, the public began to exclaim at the cost of his raids. That must have been hard to take. And so he sat for an hour reeling off figures, recounting details which will never be printed until peace comes and, most effective of all for the layman, showing the greatly enlarged photographs of the destruction these great daylight precision raids accomplished.

Just 2 drops Penetro Nose Drops in each nostril help you breathe freer almost instantly, so your head cold gets well. Only 25¢—25 times as much for 50¢. Caution: Use only as directed. Penetro Nose Drops

SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER To maintain the nation's essential motor transportation system, the American rubber tire industry will be called upon to make 20 million synthetic passenger car tires in 1944. The synthetic rubber program is being geared to permit such an output without hindering the military needs for rubber. More than 65 per cent of the war materials reaching factories in Britain travel on rubber-tired trucks, and 67 per cent of the fuel products come out by truck. That our national economy is deeply bound with rubber.

BE Goodrich FIRST IN RUBBER

"Belonging to the Day"



WRIGHT A. PATTERSON
Editor of Western Newspaper Union

SLEEPING CARS AND GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP
AS A WAR emergency measure the government has gone into the business of providing sleeping cars. To supply additional sleeping cars accommodations it is financing a new fleet of specially designed cars that will be leased to, and operated by, the Pullman company for the period of the war, used for the transportation of men of the army, of whom an average of 30,000 are on the road from somewhere to somewhere else every night.

They are to be of a new type, patterned on the lines of the continental European lounge cars for day travel, with seats only on one side. At night these seats will be the lower of three tiers of berths and passengers will sleep crosswise instead of lengthwise, of the car.

Let us hope they may not long be needed for soldier travel, and when no longer needed for that the government will get out of the sleeping car business.

This is not the first time the government has financed the building of railroad trains for war purposes. In 1918, Col. Henry M. Bylesby, then the purchasing agent in England for the American army, contracted for the construction of five complete hospital trains to be operated in France. The trains were only partially completed when the Armistice was signed on November 11. Bylesby was the type of business man who does not hesitate, but does things quickly. I was in his London office on November 12 when he was in session with the contractor for those trains. Bylesby asked that the contractor figure the value to himself, for other purposes, of the material he had purchased that was as yet unused, the value to himself of such portion of the job as had been completed, and to name a price for the surrender of the contract.

Three weeks later, I met Colonel Bylesby on a train bound from New York to Chicago. The United States government was out of the business of building and operating hospital trains as well as many other lines in which he had made extensive contracts in England. All such contracts had been settled within two weeks. The nation was out with a very much lower percentage of loss than was to prove true with our transportation and other ventures in France, where we sold to the French government at a very small portion of our investment cost, and then did not collect.

May there be another Colonel Bylesby around to dispose of our sleeping car investment when the cars are no longer needed to transport our soldiers. It is much better that we buy our Pullman accommodations from Pullman than from the United States government.

TOWNSHIP PAPERS AND WAR BONDS

THE INFLUENCE AND VALUE of the country press in America has been demonstrated by the effect of the underwritten advertising carried in its columns on the sale of war bonds. The idea of such advertising started in 1917, just before the second year in finance World War I. I was familiar with the operation at that time as I had proposed the idea and presented it to the treasury department. It took some considerable effort to get it over until I reached the then secretary of the treasury, Carter Glass. As the publisher of a small city daily, a typical home-town paper, he saw the possibilities and gave the idea his unqualified approval. Through such advertising the sale of war bonds in rural communities was multiplied as compared with the results on the first day, a result Secretary Glass attributed to the influence of the home-town newspapers.

To a considerable extent the thing that did the job was the names of the sponsors. That was especially true when those names included the churches, the judges, service clubs and other local organizations as well as the business people. These names represented a recommendation on the part of local people.

A letter received from Secretary Glass after the successful completion of the Victory Loan has said in other one factor had contributed to success in the financing of the war. Now that \$10,000,000,000 of such advertising had been placed, and that amount had been surpassed by the amount of underwritten advertising carried in home-town papers during the war. It is what a free press can do, and has done, for the nation.

It is a common thing to ask what the administrative departments of the government propose to do with the money they have in their hands. An unscrupulous backslider of an administrator would have made no answer. The funds have already been appropriated before asking for more money. That is the way it is. It is a common thing to ask what the government proposes to do with the money they have in their hands. An unscrupulous backslider of an administrator would have made no answer. The funds have already been appropriated before asking for more money. That is the way it is.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Crackers and Chowder Harmonize!
(See Recipes Below)

Soup Satisfies!

There's not one dish in any cooking repertory that can even come close to fill the place of soup. It can be the appetite-tickler to start the meal, or a light, inspired concoction to do for lunch, or a steaming hot, sturdy soup to be the meat, vegetable and the main dish for a cool night's dinner while the wind blows hard outside.

If any crisis arises as far as your own point - ration allowance, then start exploring the fascinating possibilities of a few meaty bones, celery leaves, pungent onion, and a spray of parsley, chives, marjoram or chevril. Fat, cozy tureens of soup will ward off any hunger now as they have always done when food supplies are slender.

There's no doubt that the tureen will again become a part of your kitchen equipment—at least for the duration. You can make delicious soup out of almost anything—and soup can make the meal if you serve it with plenty of unrationed crackers. There are literally all kinds of these to go with any soup you care to name.

Here's a fish chowder that is rich, savory and thoroughly satisfying. Serve it with common or pilot crackers to make the meal. Or, if you prefer, oyster crackers, the round tasty type, saltines or plain soda crackers—any one will be a natural accompaniment:

- *Fish Chowder. (Serves 8)
- 3 pounds haddock or cod
- 3 potatoes, sliced
- 3 medium-sized onions, chopped
- 3 slices salt pork, diced
- 5 crackers
- 1 quart milk
- 1 pint cream
- 1 tablespoon butter or margarine
- Salt and pepper

Cook fish in boiling water until done. Remove fish from water and cook potatoes and onions in fish water until soft. Fry salt pork until crisp. Skin and bone fish and add with pork scraps, to chowder. Soak split crackers in milk. Heat milk and cream with crackers, and add to chowder. Add butter or margarine, salt and pepper.

Here is another savory soup which will make a perfect main dish for the meal:

Lynn Says:
The Beans Card: Now that butter has gone up in point value, you may have to learn to use other spreads such as margarine. Be sure to select a margarine that gives you a definite guarantee of the amount of vitamin with which it is enriched. To color the margarine, let it soften until smooth and creamy, add vegetable coloring and blend together. Let harden before using, if you want to cut it in squares.

Butter can also be stretched with a number of commercial or other stretchers. Select a stretcher that gives good consistency and does not change flavor. If you're doing without a great deal of butter, here's how: Use margarine for shortening for all cooking or baking. Save butter and other droppings to use for frying. Commercially one part, butter and honey for spreads. Butter can be spread with margarine if the butter supply is low.

What are your problems in rationing? Write to Lynn Chambers for expert advice, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your reply, at 2 Eastern News, 119 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois. Reprinted by Western Newspaper Union.



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MAGNETIC TORPEDO:

Here is one reason why we needed the Azores so badly as an anti-submarine base. The U-boats not only have new devices but also a new strategy and may converge around the bottleneck to the Mediterranean between the Azores and Gibraltar.

DEVICES:
Latest Nazi torpedoes are superior to the former type which exploded only on contact. New torpedoes are exploded (1) on contact; (2) by magnetic attraction on coming close to the steel hull; (3) by the vibration of the engines of the ship under attack. This makes it possible for the submarine to succeed in its mission much more frequently than before. A torpedo is much less likely to miss, since missing actual contact with the target does not now mean, as previously, that it misses the target.

STRATEGY:
Convoys have now discovered that Nazi subs are hunting in packs of sufficient number to employ the same sort of naval strategy which large units of naval vessels are able to use. A group of submarines will surface on one side of the convoy, and thus decoy the escort vessels in that direction. Meantime, another group of submarines on the other side of the convoy will approach within easy firing range and discharge their torpedoes.

Observers believe, however, that the main artery of commerce from the United States to the European theater of war—the North Atlantic run—is still so well guarded that the submarine menace is licked so far as that run is concerned. It is feared, however, that the Nazis will now strike at another vulnerable point, namely, the Straits of Gibraltar. Since these straits must be passed by all Allied merchant shipping supplying the Mediterranean theater of war, including North Africa, Sicily, Sardinia, Corsica, Italy and the Adriatic—not to mention all the shipping now passing through the Mediterranean bound for the Straits of Suez and India—this area is due for a concentrated submarine attack.

A VISIT WITH STALIN

Secretary Hull might have got some interesting pointers for his Moscow trip from Cuban Ambassador Conchoso, only Latin American diplomat who has met Stalin.

Brilliant Senor Conchoso is both Cuban ambassador to the U.S.A. and Cuban minister to Soviet Russia. Recently he came back from a visit to the Soviet capital during which he presented his credentials to Foreign Minister Molotov, and expressed the polite hope that he might also call upon Stalin. Knowing that Stalin was one of the busiest men in the world, however, Conchoso did not press the point and actually did not expect to see him.

So he almost fell out of his ballet seat one night when someone tapped him on the shoulder and told him that Stalin would see him in 20 minutes. How Stalin knew the Cuban diplomat was enjoying the famous Moscow Ballet, Conchoso did not know.

However, he was told that a motor would call for him at the theater in 15 minutes, and he should be ready. Conchoso consulted a British diplomat, also present at the ballet, who told him that the man who had tapped him on the shoulder was the Russian chief of protocol, so he had better be ready.

It was May, but zero weather in Moscow. However, Ambassador Conchoso did not find it cold in the Kremlin. (Churchill wore a zipper suit when he called on Stalin, and Mrs. Hull has been worrying on behalf of her husband about the cold in the Kremlin.) Only two officers guarded Stalin. One officer met the Cuban at the entrance of the building and escorted him to Stalin's office. There he was met by another officer who took him the rest of the way. There was no pomp or ceremony.

GENIAL JOSEPH
Stalin himself was not fierce, but kindly and genial. His eyes, according to Ambassador Conchoso, are deep and penetrating, but with wrinkles of humor in the corners. The Soviet premier seemed surprisingly well-poised on Cuban problems, knew something about its labor laws and its economic questions. However, he was not familiar with Cuban - U. S. relations and seemed to think that Cuba was still politically dependent on the U.S.A. The ambassador explained that the Platt amendment had been abrogated and Cuba now enjoyed complete freedom.

CAPITAL CHAFF
Capt. Ralph Ingersoll, drafted away from his editorship of the newspaper PM, was detailed by the army to help pilot the Five Flying Senators on part of their war-zone trip. It is reported that Ingersoll is being queried by the war department as to who leaked certain information to the senators. . . Gov. Matt Nealey of West Virginia, former U. S. senator, will run for the house of representatives in the First West Virginia congressional district.

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LOBELIA NEWS

Mrs. Iva Clendenen of Hillsboro and Mrs. Nelson Bruffey were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. E. L. Cutlip last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrison attended the funeral of their uncle, J. O. Morrison, Friday at Buckeye. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cutlip and daughter Alma were in Alderson last Saturday on business. While there they visited the Neff orchards. We are glad to announce that Mrs. Sarah McMillan and Nelson Simmons, who are in the hospital, are improving. Mrs. Mable Barcroft continues about the same. Mrs. Ivan McKeever of Maryland is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hall. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sizemore had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Knottson and daughter. A very inspirational service was held at the West View Church of Christ last Sunday morning. Denver Sizemore, who came home from school at Butler University for the service, preached on the subject, "Jesus, the Son of Man's Friend." When the inspirational hymn was sung, Russell had some forward and made the confession. When the service was finished, the crowd went joyously to Bradley's Creek, where Mr. Sizemore was baptized, and "went on his way rejoicing." It was a service similar to that of Philip and the eunuch, recorded in Acts 8. Sunday afternoon Denver Sizemore returned to Hillsboro.

Thomas Clatter finished his logging job at Barlow and moved in the past week. Wilson Coppenhaver and family moved to the Edward Williams place last week. Embargo on Turkeys Lifted. Turkey prices are now unrestricted and producers may sell them on the open market. Live turkeys may also be sold on the market. The embargo on turkey prices that has been in effect since August 1 was lifted at 11 o'clock on Wednesday, October 28, by the War Food Administration. A War Food statement of the War Food Administration said that turkey prices are now unrestricted. The embargo was lifted to allow turkey prices to be determined by the market. It is expected that turkey prices will be higher than they were when the embargo was lifted. The embargo was lifted to allow turkey prices to be determined by the market. It is expected that turkey prices will be higher than they were when the embargo was lifted.

THE HERITAGE OF AMERICA

Spirit of Northwest. At Green Bay, oldest settlement in Wisconsin, there is a heroic statue depicting an Indian, a missionary and an explorer. Nicolet, Perrot, Marquette, Joliet and Black Bird, a Sauk Chief, are all remembered. Many people from distant lands live at peace here in America making it a better place to live. Read for yourself what Nazism has meant for Norway, Denmark, Holland, Greece.

Lincoln's Birthplace. Behind a split rail fence near Hodgenville, Kentucky, is the Lincoln Memorial of granite and marble, erected on the farm site where Abraham Lincoln was born. The one room log house is enclosed within the memorial. Lincoln saw the evils of a country "half slave-half free." We are fighting now to keep Nazi slavery away from our free shores as much as to liberate the conquered peoples of Europe and Asia.

Confederate Home. Near Biloxi, on the Gulf of Mexico, stands the last residence of Jefferson Davis and the house where the confederate president completed his memoirs. Beauvoir now is a home for Confederate veterans. Defeated men may live in peace and honor under the Stars and Stripes, but under the crooked cross of Nazism there is only ignominy, persecution, death for those who will not bend the knee.

John Audubon. Early in the 19th century a storekeeper and gristmill operator at Henderson, Kentucky, took to studying birds as an antidote for ennui and added much to man's knowledge of ornithology. His name is a byword to this day. It is John James Audubon. Only the knowledge of despotism, destruction, killing, maiming brings one to the surface of Nazism. It has no place for gentle souls; only Himmlers, Schleichers, von Papens, Heydrichs.

Santa Claus' Post Office. Less than 100 people live in Santa Claus, Indiana, but each year the postmaster sends out more than half a million Christmas cards and packages. Nearly a 4-grain storm of Santa Claus, dedicated to kindness in the world. In the Nazi slave countries of Poland, Greece, Yugoslavia little children starve to death, the older and stronger ones are sold into slavery where they can live but a few sad years at the most.

CASS NEWS

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP. The Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church met last Sunday at 6:45. Nadine Shifflett was leader. The pianist, Betty Wooddell, played the prelude, "For the Beauty of the Earth." Miss Shifflett gave the call to worship. "For the Beauty of the Earth" was sung, followed by Scripture reading by Evelyn Galford. Marshall Shinaberry gave a talk on the song theme; Marie Dill talked of "Reverence in the House of God." "O Worship the King" was sung, and Betty Wooddell, a former member of the organization, talked on "Woods." Following the singing of "Holy, Holy, Holy," Maxine Shinaberry gave a talk on "The Everlasting God" and Bertha Lee Dill led in prayer. Seventeen were present for the "Ones." Maxine Fisher, president, made the announcements and the meeting was closed by the benediction, which was repeated in union.

PERSONALS. Miss Madge McPherson and George McPherson, who are employed in Richmond, were called home Tuesday due to the sudden illness of their mother, Mrs. Mary McPherson, who is suffering from a paralytic stroke. Howard Cassell of the Navy is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Cassell on Buck Mountain. Mrs. Ruth Rimmer of Pennsylvania is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Porter. G. C. Wooddell of Beckley spent the week-end here visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary McPherson. Mrs. Ed Wooddell of Linwood is also visiting at the McPherson home. Jerry Gray, who is attending a special training school in New York is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gray. Jerry will return Thursday. Chester Yates of the Navy is visiting his mother, Mrs. Martin Dahmer and his sister, Mrs. Warren Blackhurst. Kenny Puffenbarger of Durbin visited friends here on Monday. Bernard Hamrick is very ill at his home here. Mrs. Tom Chestnut also is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Perry. Mrs. Mike Willhide and son Johnny spent the week-end in White Sulphur visiting relatives. Mrs. Paugh and daughter of Vin-dex, Md., were visiting relatives here. She is the former Pearl Stanley. Lessie Brackman spent the week-end in Rainelle visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Brackman. Ollie Cassell of Ridgeley is visiting relatives here for a few days. Flem Galford of the Navy is visiting his father, Lewis Galford, and other relatives here.

ARBOVALE NEWS. MRS. FULTZ DIES. Mrs. Lola Sheets Fultz, 63, died Friday, October 29, at the Marlinton hospital with cerebral hemorrhages. The body was returned to her home here Saturday afternoon, and funeral services were conducted at 2:30 on Monday by her pastor, Rev. M. N. DeHaven, assisted by Rev. Q. R. Arbogast and Rev. W. W. Sutton, at the Arbovale church. Interment was made in the Arbovale cemetery.

Uncle "Pod" Tucker Says. By HOY McCUSKEY. THE OLD DEAL. We hear considerable talk these days from folks who have lived under all kinds of deals. To those of you who know little or nothing about the Old Deal Days, we'd like to tell you the folks had Cowhide boots for every day and Split-leather boots for Sunday. The kids were brought up to go to Sunday School and Church. Those Old Deal-

PERSONALS. Pvt. Roy Sutton stationed at a camp in New Mexico, spent a few days with his father, Rufus Sutton. T.-Sgt. Ralph Bennett has a medical discharge from the Army and is now home. John Riley left last week for Baltimore to work in a defense plant. Delbert Gillespie of Baltimore spent a few days at his home. Anna Mae Friel who attends D. and E. College at Elkins spent the week-end at her home. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Friel and daughter Anna Mae spent Sunday in Waynesboro, Va., with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Friel. Russell Crowley of Baltimore is spending a few days with his family. David Wenger, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wenger, was brought home from the Marlinton hospital where he was treated for erysipelas. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sutton of Middlebourne came here for the funeral of Mrs. Sutton's sister, Lola Fultz. Cleve Riley returned Saturday from the Charlottesville hospital where he received treatments. Mrs. Virginia Hendrickson returned home after spending a week with her brother in Neola. E. F. Crist, C. E. Flynn, Fannie Kane, Louise Brown, Loraine and Mary Margaret Beard and Lynn Kerr attended S.E.A. in Charleston. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Simmons and son Jimmie spent Saturday in Elkins shopping. Mrs. Allie Arbogast of Neola is spending a week with her daughter, Virginia Hendrickson. Carol Conrad is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Alvin Shinaberry at Deerfield, Va. Pvt. Jed Malcome is spending a few days with friends here.

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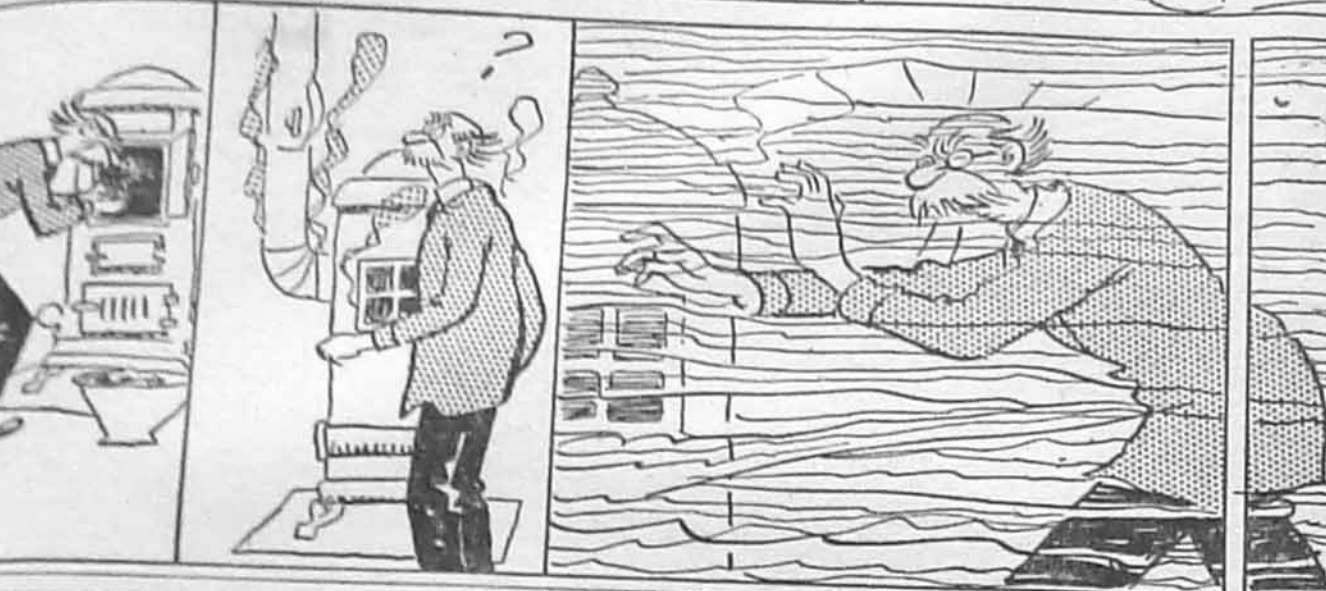
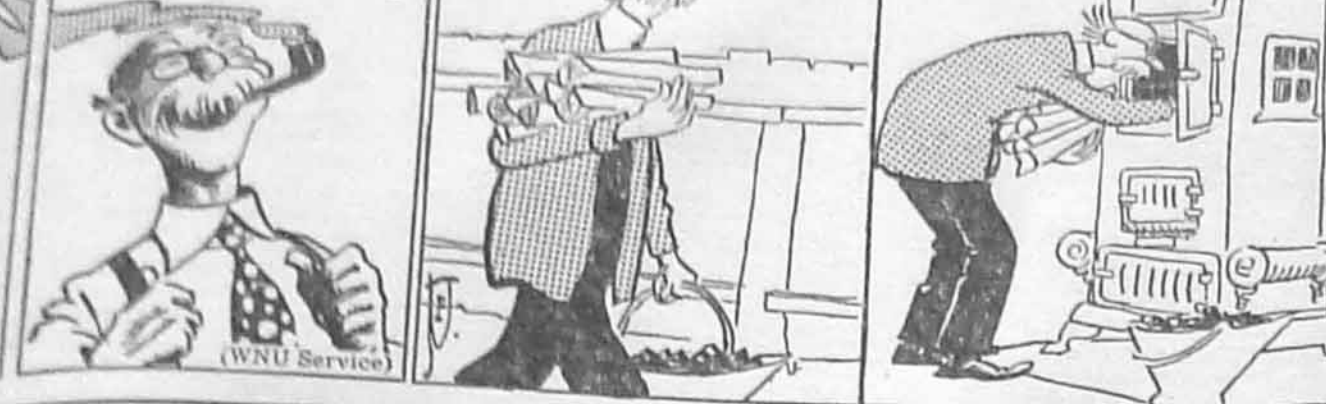
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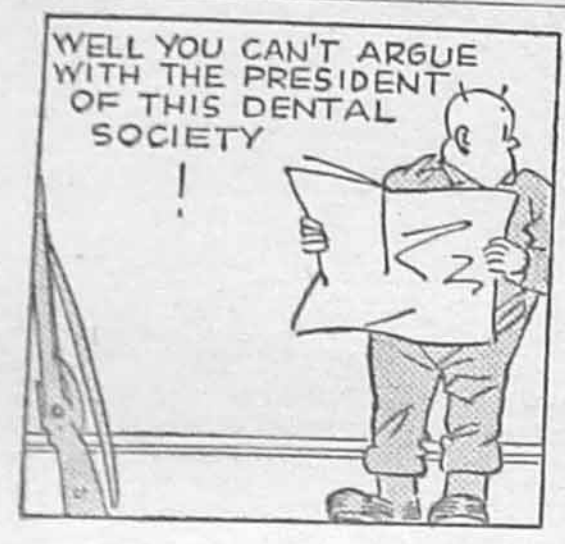
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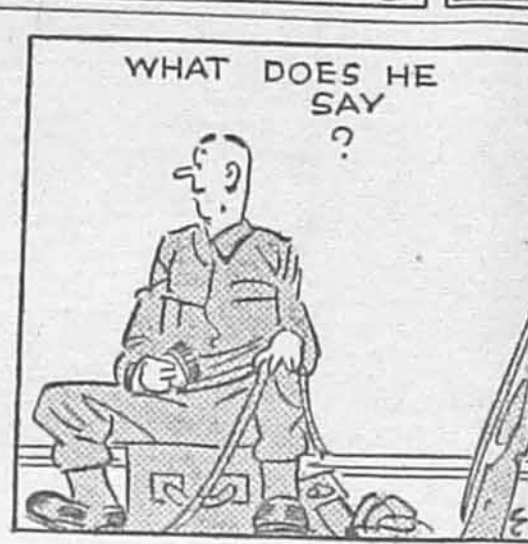
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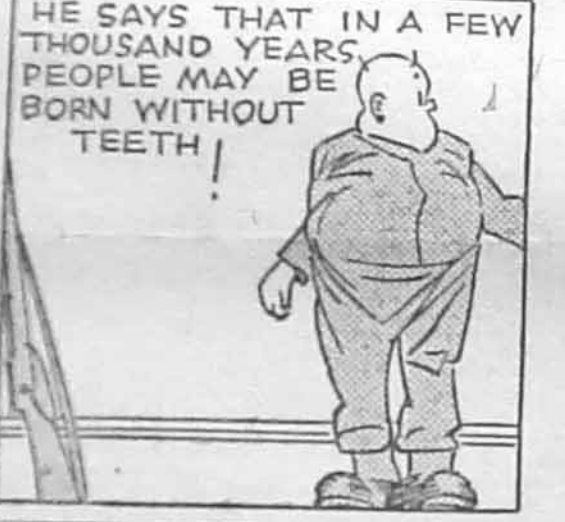
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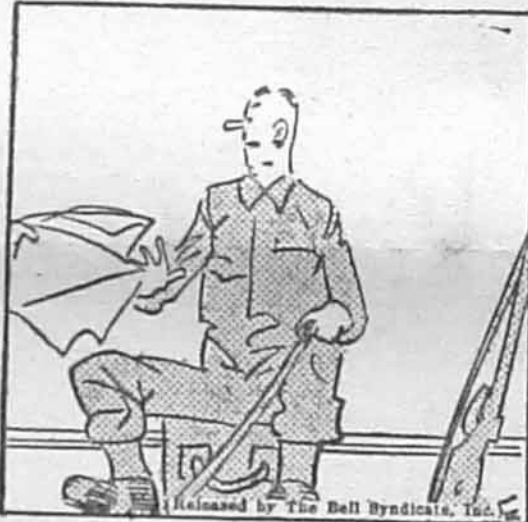
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Mary:—What's that?
Sue:—It's a plane that doesn't fly.

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Ginger:—Do you mean 'I want a gig and a gal?'
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Lyle:—That's not a hat, that's a rug.
Moe:—No, it was a hat, it was a hat.

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Sandy:—What's dat yo' say 'bout yo' husband workin' so hard he's workin' in shifts?
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Wanda:—What is that?
Dixie:—No, but it's a darn good partner!

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PNEUMONIA DEATHS

Just as we are congratulating ourselves that physicians are not worried much about their pneumonia cases since the sulfa drugs have been shown to be so effective in curing pneumonia, thus saving many lives, we learn from physicians, hospitals and insurance companies that pneumonia is again increasing.

In the Statistical Bulletin, Metropolitan Life Insurance company, we read:
"The rise in the death rate in pneumonia will be noted with surprise by many people who for the past few years have heard so much about the striking decline in the death rate following the use of sulfa drugs in the treatment of the disease." The death rate was lowered from about 9 per cent to 3 per cent because the sulfa drugs were able to defend the body against what is called the coccus form of pneumonia (small round organisms seen under the microscope).

However, the type of pneumonia which is now causing so many cases is not the coccus (pneumococcus) type but a virus type; that is a very tiny organism which cannot be seen under the microscope. Despite their ability to defeat the pneumococcus type of pneumonia, the sulfa drugs have no effect upon this type of pneumonia.

A point of interest is that a recent study of fatal cases of this type of pneumonia among policyholders of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company shows that a large proportion of the deaths were among younger persons. Of the 150 deaths recorded in the company's experience since last November, 36 per cent were between the ages of 15 and 44 years, as compared with only 18 per cent (of the total number) of pneumonia deaths in a normal year.

It has been known for some time that war conditions increase the number and severity of nose, throat and lung ailments; the influenza epidemic of 1918-19 is still in our minds. This means that during the coming months of cold weather, the greatest possible health precautions should be taken.

"Those doing hard manual labor or putting in long hours of overtime should be encouraged to get as much rest as possible in their time. Every effort must be made to maintain good nutrition which is quite possible within the limits of rationing."

ASK ME ANOTHER?

- A General Quiz
- The Questions**
1. What year is generally considered to have marked the "passing of the frontier" of the United States?
 2. Is one's blood pressure higher when awake than when asleep?
 3. Which is the oldest national flag in the world?
 4. What is the most severe blow that can be struck by an animal?
 5. Approximately what part of the total area of the United States does Texas embrace?

Headache in Morning Is Sinusitis Symptom

When a definite case of sinus disease is present with pus formation, there is no difficulty in recognizing it.

What about mild or early cases of inflammation of the sinus?
In the Canadian Medical Association Journal, Dr. Keith Hutchison, Montreal, states:
"The symptoms of acute inflammation of the sinus—sinusitis—are definite and I always accept the midmorning headache as evidence of a true sinusitis, even though nothing definite appears on the first examination."

This midmorning headache is important because there are so many kinds of headache that the physician is grateful for any and every clue.

"When an intelligent patient reports that he felt well on arising and then about 10 o'clock in the morning a severe frontal headache came on which persisted till midafternoon then disappeared and the patient went to bed free of pain and discomfort only to go through the same symptoms the next day, a clear-cut diagnosis of acute catarrhal sinusitis may be made and treated accordingly."

The treatment outlined by Dr. Hutchison is to put the patient to bed, hot cloths on the face, ephedrine solution in the nose, plenty of fluids and a rigid rule of no smoking. Two to four days' rest generally effects a cure.

Because the symptoms are not severe, "just a little head cold," many patients refuse to go to bed, with the result that the cold "hangs on" and instead of there being simply a watery discharge from the nose, the discharge may become mucous and even pus formation occur.

The patient with an early or light sinusitis should go to bed and follow the treatment described if he wishes to prevent chronic catarrh or sinusitis.

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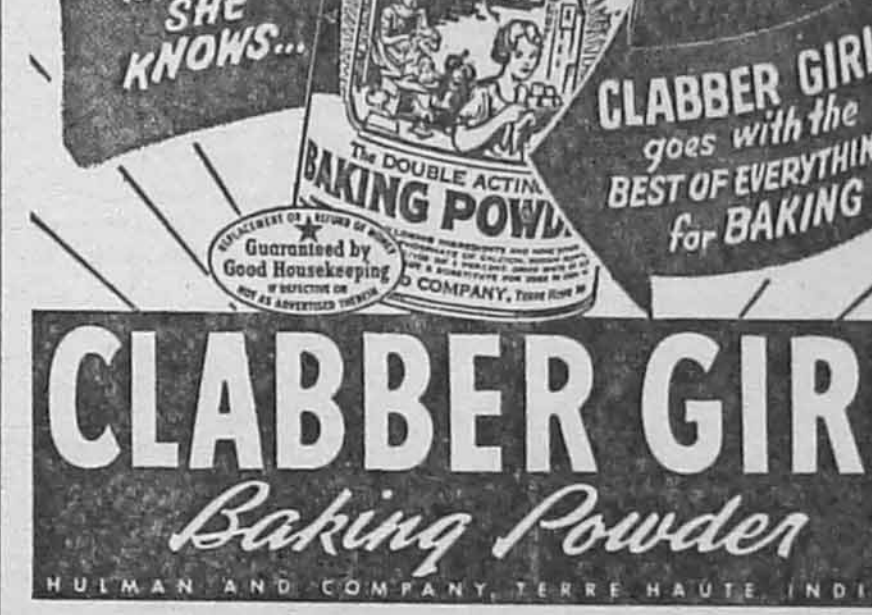
Blend shortening and honey. Add egg and beat until creamy. Add milk and All-Bran; let soak until most of moisture is taken up. Stir dry ingredients together; add to flour dispenser. Fill greased muffin pans 2/3 full and bake in a medium-hot oven (400° F.) about 25 minutes.

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War Fund \$800 Short of Goal

Will Continue in Effort To Reach Full Quota

While urging all county citizens to have not made contributions to the drive as yet, so that the drive may be brought to an early and successful conclusion, Harper M. Smith, chairman, released figures Monday of \$2,633.81 had now been turned in. He said that with a little more determined effort upon the part of every citizen, the goal of \$3,500 for Pocahontas county's National War Fund can be achieved.

Some county communities and sections of Marlinton proper, where the drive has been under way for some time, have not yet turned reports, according to Mr. Smith. He pointed out with pride that many of the county's most sparsely populated sections, which have been extremely generous, were Stony Bottom which had contributed \$71.30; Lincoln, with contributions amounting to \$100.00; Woodrow, with \$74.30. In Greenbank and Arbovale, gifts to the National War Fund, had sent in \$40.90. Camden Avenue residents in Marlinton had given a total of \$100.00. Setting the pace for individual donations were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McLaughlin, who gave \$37.50. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McLaughlin, who explained the purposes of the drive and listed participating agencies; and Mrs. M. J. Coyner of Cloverlick, who said that each participating group in the National War Fund is worthy of individual gifts of at least \$1.00 each.

Mr. Smith said that the War Fund drive has already exceeded the time set for it, which was the month of October. He expressed the hope that all workers would complete the drive by the end of the month. He said that citizens who have thus far contributed from giving would add their gifts immediately to the growing list and help put Pocahontas county in the lead. He said that the drive is not only for the war effort, but also for the support of the county's war effort.

U. S. Postal Head Urges Christmas Mailing Now

Delivery of the annual flood of Christmas gifts and cards on time, always a serious problem, "will be more than a problem this year—it will be an impossibility—unless Christmas mailings are made largely in November." Postmaster General Frank C. Walker warned today.

"Transportation facilities are burdened to the limit with war materials and personnel, and the Postal Service has sent more than 31,000 emergency employees into the Army and Navy," Mr. Walker said. "The only solution to the Christmas problem is: Mail in November. Mark your parcels, 'Do Not Open Until Christmas.' That is the only way to avoid disappointment on Christmas Day not only for many civilians but also for millions of the armed forces who are still in this country.

"It is also the only way to avoid the possibility of a Christmas emergency in the transportation and postal services. If the public will cooperate by mailing their Christmas parcels during November, we can handle a small volume of light, last-minute mailings, such as cards, up to December 10—but we can do that and avoid an emergency only if November is really 'Christmas Mailing Month.'"

First Aid Class at Greenbank

A Red Cross Standard First Aid course will be taught at Greenbank high school, beginning November 15, at 7 o'clock, it was announced this week. Persons desiring to enroll in the class are instructed to contact June Riley, who will be the instructor for the course.

McCloud is Crack Shot

PINE CAMP, N. Y., Nov. 11.—In recent firing on the rifle range at Pine Camp, Sergt. June R. McCloud, of Clover Lick, W. Va., made the highest score in his troop of the 85th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron Mechanized.

Sergt. McCloud is the son of Mrs. Mary E. Dominici, of Clover Lick. He was inducted into the Army June 4, 1941, and is now assigned as a section leader.

Sheep Production Meetings Arranged

By BEN MORGAN

A major portion of the farm income of Pocahontas county is derived from the production of market lambs and wool. The county has, according to the 1940 census, approximately 34,990 head of ewes—one year of age or older. If our income from these ewes would average, as it should, at least \$12 per head from the sale of wool and lambs, the total sheep income for Pocahontas county would be \$408,000. At the present lamb price, this \$12 per head would only be one average lamb per ewe and her fleece of wool. Every dollar per ewe that we can increase this income, will mean an increased farm income for Pocahontas county of \$24,990 per year. This income can be increased not only \$1 per head, but \$3 or \$4 per head, if we will only use better flock management practices.

In order to assist sheep producers in putting into use some of these better management practices, a series of sheep production meetings has been planned for the month of November. As an additional incentive to carry out some of these practices, a Master Shepherd's Contest has been set up for the county, with premiums sufficient to make it very worthwhile, in addition to any gain we may have from better practices carried out in connection with the program. The contest will be discussed in detail at the sheep meetings to be held in the various communities. It is hoped that every sheep producer will make an effort to attend one of the meetings.

Anyone who has not returned the entry form for the Master Shepherd's Contest should do so at once. The committee in charge of the contest is composed of J. A. Spitzer, chairman, Harrison Wiley, Executive Secretary, Leslie Price and Huffed Williams. It is hoped that it may be possible to take one of these meetings for each of the community meetings.

Schedule of Meetings
Monday, November 15 — 7:00 p. m.
Tuesday, November 16 — 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday, November 17 — 7:00 p. m.
Thursday, November 18 — 7:00 p. m.
Friday, November 19 — 7:00 p. m.
Saturday, November 20 — 7:00 p. m.
Sunday, November 21 — 7:00 p. m.

ARMISTICE DAY

November 11, 1943



"Face to the East! It seems a grim jest,
For this is to honor the boys who 'went West!'
Face to the East! Stop the traffic and noise;
The moment is sacred, it belongs to the boys.
Face to the East! Banker, farmer, and clerk,
Every rank, all conditions, stop both play and work.

"Face to the East! This moment's for them,
Our gay laughing boys who died, aye, like men,
Face to the East! and murmur a prayer
For the lads who forever have gone 'Over There.'
Face to the East! While Mem'ry enwraps
Her dear arms around us. Now, Bugler, sound 'taps.'"

NIMROD and ANGLER

By IRVING A. COHEN
MEMBER WEST VIRGINIA CONSERVATION COMMISSION

On next Thursday, Armistice Day, the remainder of the hunting season opens. You will be able, starting at 7 a. m. Thursday morning, to hunt the following: Quail, in all counties except Tucker until January 15, 1944, inclusive. Bag limit eight per day, 35 the season. Cottontail rabbits, all counties, until January 15, 1944, inclusive, bag limit six per day, 40 the season. Raccoon, Opossum, Skunk and Mink, all counties, November 11 to January 30, 1944, inclusive. Bag limit for raccoon, two per day, 10 the season. Two a day in any twenty-four-hour period starting at noon for one person and/or group of persons hunting in a party. There are no bag limits on Muskrat, Mink, Opossum, Red Fox and Skunk. The Red Fox is not protected in Kanawha County and can be killed at any time.

The season on turkeys and squirrels closes November 27th and the season on Ruffed Grouse closes on December 31, 1943.

Warning: If you were fortunate enough to get yourself a turkey you MUST report your kill to the Director of the Conservation Commission. Failure to report same may get you into trouble.

Bass Fishing season closes November 30, 1943.

Important Information:
Controlled public shooting areas are as follows: Cooper's Rock State Forest, Deer, Ruffed Grouse and Cottontail Rabbits. Seneca State Forest, Deer, Ruffed Grouse, Cottontail Rabbits and Grey Squirrels. Kumbrow State Forest, Ruffed Grouse only. Cabwyling State Forest, Cottontail Rabbits, Quail and Grey Squirrels. Watoga State Park, Deer only, total kill 75 deer.

All hunters MUST secure a permit at the Forest, Park Office, or Checking Station each day before entering the open shooting areas. Bag quotas and regulations for each particular hunting area will be posted giving full information. Be sure to acquaint yourself with the regulations. As a public safety measure, no permits will be issued to persons under fifteen years of age during the Deer Season on these areas.

Grouse hunters who have been hunting since the season started on October 8th report plenty of grouse but the dry weather has interfered with their hunting. Of course, the earlier season makes grouse hunting kind of tough going. However, grouse hunting is not expected to reach its peak until a few more sharp frosts and windy days knock down the still heavy foliage which now obstructs so many good chances. Most of the complaints that I have heard were that the birds were getting up ahead of the hunter and with the still situation as it is the hunters are not taking unnecessary chances on long shots.

Labels LaFollette, Ed Sparks and E. F. Walden, the "Three Musgraves" have returned from a most successful Kingbird Hunt and Duck Hunt at Watersburg, S. D.

TO CONDUCT REVIVALS



Rev. C. L. Baker, D. D.

Special services will be conducted at the Liberty Church, Dunmore, at 7:30 p. m., November 14-16, and at 11 a. m., November 17; and at the Liberty Church, Greenbank, at 7:30 p. m., beginning November 21, by the Rev. C. L. Baker, D. D., who will be assisted by Rev. W. C. Baker, D. D.

Farm Bureau To Make Plans For Enrollment

Neighborhood Meetings Week of December 6

The officers and members of the board of directors of the Pocahontas County Farm Bureau have completed arrangements to hold one of its most important meetings of the year on Monday, November 15, according to E. Clyde Bussard, president of the local bureau. The meeting will begin at 1:30 p. m., and will be held in the County Agent's office, with Z. S. Smith, Jr., who has been selected by the local board as county membership chairman, presiding.

The purpose of the meeting, as stated by Mr. Smith, is to complete plans to bring the county, state and national Farm Bureau program and its accomplishments to the farm people of Pocahontas county through a series of neighborhood meetings to be held the week of December 6. Membership goals will be set for each neighborhood and the total of these will constitute the county's goal for 1944.

Next week's county meeting will bring together the chairman, vice chairman and attendance committee from each neighborhood in the county. Other county leaders are invited to assist in the discussion of plans for the county-wide membership program in December.

The neighborhood chairman and vice chairman, respectively, who are to be present for the meeting include: Lobelia—G. A. Hull, Mrs. E. L. Cutlip. Beard—Remus May, D. M. Callison. Millpoint—F. W. Ruckman, R. H. Aldridge. Hillsboro—Joel P. Beard, J. M. McNeil. Slatyfork—Ivan L. Sharp, Mrs. Eula Hannah. Indian Draft—Oley W. Jackson, Clarence Barlow. Swago—Lewis Gay, Jim McNeill. Huntersville—E. Clyde Bussard, Randall Sharp. Knapps Creek—G. M. Sharp, C. P. Pritchard. Frost—Clarence Bussard, Dayton Herold. Dunmore—John U. Hevener, Davis T. Aldridge. Greenbank—Howard Hevener, George V. Hannah. Cherry Grove—H. L. Stokes, Willis Cassell. Wesley Chapel—Ray Horner, Charles Wilfong. George C. Deems, Southern States Cooperative, who is assisting the West Virginia Farm Bureau, will be present at the meeting and will bring some of the latest information on the work of the state and national Farm Bureaus. This year the West Virginia Farm Bureau with 9,357 members has the largest enrollment in its history. Pocahontas county increased its membership over the previous year by 4 members.

"I believe," stated Membership Chairman Smith, "that the farmers in the county realize the importance of a strong farm organization to represent them and to protect their interests. Working alone, the individual farmer can do very little to solve his farm problems or protect his interests, but through organization he can accomplish much. In Pocahontas county, in West Virginia, and in the nation, Farm Bureau is the organization that speaks for farmers."

IT Impresses

ME

THAT Sunday was a most exciting and pleasant day. . . This fortunate editor was privileged to preach in two of those quaint and hallowed Presbyterian churches of Pocahontas county—Liberty Church at Greenbank and Baxter Church at Dunmore. . . Both of these churches, I believe, were built about 1850 or so, and not only the buildings, but an "old-timey" religious atmosphere prevails at each of them. . . I could not refrain, with such an appropriate opportunity, from quoting a poem of which I have been very fond for a number of years, at the Liberty Church on Sunday morning—and I think it must have been written just about that place. . . The copy in my notes I gave to W. F. Groff, but at the behest of many other worshippers I am going to reprint it herewith so that anyone interested may clip it:

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"I think God sees this house, serenely white,
Upon this hushed, tree-bordered lot, as one
With many mansions seeks, in calm delight,
A boyhood cottage, intimate with sun.
I think God feels Himself the owner here,
Not just rich Host to some self-seeking throng;
But Friend of village folk, who want Him near,
And offer Him simplicity and song.

"No stained-glass windows hide the world from view,
And it is well. The world is lovely there
Beyond clear panes where branch-scrolled skies look through,
And fields and hills, in morning hours of prayer.
"God spent His youth 'mid field, and hill and tree,
And Christ grew up in rural Galilee."

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AND did you ever see the like of young people that were among the splendid crowd at the Dunmore church! . . .

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WE will, of course, leave it to the judgment of others to say how WE got along. . . But will observe that if one is not inspired to preach well when he stands at the altar-desk of these two churches. . . he may just as well close up his book and quit. . .

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SATURDAY a week ago, while hunting on the Coe Beverage expense, we saw, just at dusk, our first deer out in the wilds. . . As we leaned against a tree trunk, watchfully waiting for an unwary squirrel to appear, a noise in the leaves proved to be the footsteps of a nice large doe, cautiously making her way along, about 200 feet distant. . . Another woodland sound startled her into running away with the swiftness peculiar to her species. . . But on Sunday night after services, when a light rain was falling, as we rounded a turn in the road just above that same residence, we were compelled to apply our car brakes suddenly to avoid possible collision with a herd of four—three large-size does and a fawn—standing in the middle of the highway. . . They were confused by our headlights only for an instant, and then took up over a steep bank toward the woods. . .

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PERSONS desiring a recipe for delectable fruit salad may address their inquiries to Joel Hannah, Arbovale, W. Va. . . But be sure your Mother will let you make it, Extravagant Style, for HIS would not! . . .

—The Editor.

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Achievement Day Saturday

Pocahontas County Farm Women's Clubs will hold their Fourth Annual Achievement Day on November 13. The program will start at 10 a. m. in the Marlinton High School auditorium.

Following the business meeting a covered-dish luncheon will be served by the Women's Society of Christian Service, in the Friendship Hall of the Methodist church, about 12:30.

Miss Gertrude Humphreys of Morgantown will speak following the luncheon on the theme of the program, "Food Fights for Freedom."

All persons who plan to attend are urged to bring the food to the church before the program starts.

Called For Service

The office of the Local Board Selective Service announces the following men have recently qualified for service subject to examination by the Armed Forces Induction Station. They were sent to Clarksburg for examination October 27:

Moses Hiawatha Winston, Marlinton
Charles William Malone, Frank
Lester James Miller, Frank
Luther Seabrook Rodgers, Jr., Frank
Roy William Spriggs, Marlinton

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...was appropriate...

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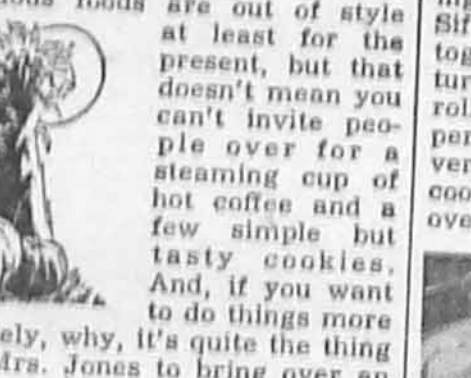
HOUSEHOLD MEMOS by Lynn Chambers



A fragrant pot of coffee and a few tasty cookies...

Keep Up Morale, Entertain Simply Even in Wartime

Even if all foods were rationed I'd still say, don't ration hospitality...



Having friends over for dinner? They'll enjoy this light souffle...

Some time ago progressive dinners were quite the fashion...

And now for the business of food—with a few points or none at all...

Applesauce Cake. (No icing needed!)

- 1 cup sugar, 1/4 cup shortening, 1 cup applesauce, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 tablespoons water, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon cloves, 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup raisins, 1 1/2 cups cake flour

Honey Oatmeal Wafers. (Makes 16 wafers)

- 1 egg, 1/2 cup honey, 1 cup oatmeal, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons melted butter or margarine, 1/4 teaspoon vanilla, 1/2 cup chopped nuts

Beat egg until light. Add honey, continuing to beat. Then fold in remaining ingredients...

Lynn Says: Hospitality Unrationed: Even if you're doing your entertaining in the kitchen...

Have everyone help with the dishes after supper and then play old-fashioned games...

The children's parties have Mother Goose themes...

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- Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu: Tomato Bouillon, Thrifty Souffles, Green Beans Parsleyed Potatoes, Hot Biscuits, Lettuce With French Dressing, Orange Sherbet, Chocolate Pinwheels

degree) oven about 10 minutes or until a delicate brown.

Gingersnaps. (Makes 10 to 12 dozen)

- 1 cup molasses, 1/2 cup shortening, 3/4 cups sifted flour, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1 tablespoon ginger

Heat the molasses over low heat to the boiling point. Put the shortening in a large mixing bowl...



Having friends over for dinner? They'll enjoy this light souffle...

- Chocolate Pinwheels. (Makes 3 1/2 dozen) 1 1/2 cups sifted flour, 1/2 teaspoon double-acting baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup butter or margarine, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 egg yolk, unbeaten, 3 tablespoons milk, 1 square unsweetened chocolate, melted

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again.

Cream butter until light, add sugar gradually and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg yolk and beat well.

A delicious souffle with a few piping hot biscuits and honey makes a lovely dinner for a chilly night.

Thrifty Souffles. (Serves 6)

- 3 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 can mushroom soup, 1 cup chopped chicken, 3 egg yolks, beaten until thick and lemon-colored, 3 egg whites, beaten stiff

Cornstarch, salt and mushroom soup, of consistency to serve, in top of double boiler. Place over rapidly boiling water and cook 8 to 10 minutes after water boils again...

What are your problems in rationing? Write to Lynn Chambers for expert advice...

The Washington Merry-Go-Round by Drew Pearson

Washington, D. C. RUSSIAN RELATIONS IMPROVE The diplomatic grapevine reports that inter-Allied relations with Russia are going pretty well now.

Most serious sub-surface irritation was over the Mediterranean Council, through which Russia, the United States and Britain were to confer regarding Italy, North Africa and the Balkans.

The Russians, snubbed earlier in the summer regarding preliminary Italian armistice terms, took the Mediterranean Council seriously and appointed as their representative Andrei Vishinski, the famous prosecutor in the Russian purge trials.

Vishinski is a man of national stature, capable of making Mediterranean decisions without consulting Moscow. But to represent the United States on the Mediterranean Council, Secretary Hull sent Ed Wilson, U. S. ambassador to Panama.

Immediately it developed that Wilson was to act as a glorified messenger and report everything back to Washington. The British representative was to do the same.

This immediately roused Russian wrath. They had welcomed the Council, appointed a top man. So for a moment they considered withdrawing. However, for the sake of Allied harmony, they stayed on and are giving the Mediterranean Council a trial.

POOR 'PA' WATSON Toughest job White House Secretary Maj. Gen. Edwin ('Pa') Watson of the White House secretariat has to tackle each day is keeping the President's appointment schedule on time.

This is hard on the general's nervous system, especially when bigwigs from the war or navy departments are waiting to discuss military matters.

The other day when the President's old friend, Governor Bob Kerr of Oklahoma, was overstaying his time—through no fault of his own—Watson walked in and began to parade nervously about the room.

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With a sigh, Watson took a chair.

BACK TO NORMALCY Industry's eagerness to get back to peacetime operation is seen in the deluge of mail received by the chemical division of WPB.

This pressure hits the chemical division more than any other because of the tight control which that division has exercised over the industry.

Controls are so tight that no materials may be bought or sold without clearance with WPB, and in the course of getting clearance, the applicant must state a lot of intimate facts about his business, including buying price, selling price, profit, and inventories.

The real meaning of the complaint is that the industry is not worried about paper work so much as it is worried about limitation on profits.

Under government control, prices are held down by the fact that sales are limited to war needs, but when this restriction is removed, the demand for chemical materials will be terrific, and profits will go through the ceiling.

CAPITAL CHIEF The Argentine government had already retracted its ban on the Jewish press even before President Roosevelt denounced the ban.

Foreign Economic administration, which does a lot of business with Latin America, is worried over the fact that its initials, FEA, mean "ugly" in Spanish.

There's a new breath of life in state department press conferences since Ed Statinius took charge.

Jesus Jones hasn't held a press conference for more than a year.

For you to make



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THE older woman sometimes has difficulty in finding instructions to make a smart crocheted sleeveless vestee. This one was especially designed for sizes 38-40

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Rub salt inside a fowl before adding stuffing for better seasoning.

Water spots can often be removed from polished furniture by rubbing lightly with turpentine applied on a soft cloth. Wipe dry and re wax.

To dry a pair of silk stockings without creases or pin marks, clip a couple of clothes pins to a towel rack, slip the stockings over them and spread the pins apart to stretch and spread the hose smoothly.

Make a sauce for cottage pudding out of left-over fruit juice by dissolving cornstarch in cold water and adding it to the fruit juice and cooking it for a few minutes.

Shingle roofs should be kept well painted or stained as a protection against destruction by the elements and to insure against the developments of expensive and difficult-to-find leaks.

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Robot Radio Operator

The lives of many torpedoed seamen may be saved by a new invention. It is an automatic wireless transmitter. The ship's name and code mark are inscribed on a film, and the vessel's position is inserted on the film as often as conditions demand.

When a vessel is torpedoed or mined, the transmitter comes into action and continues to send out the ship's name as long as the ship remains afloat without the radio operator standing by. The inventor is Captain Espeseth, a Norwegian seaman.



BARBARA STANWYCK star of Lady of Burlesque, is one of United Artists release, is one of the many well-groomed, well-informed Hollywood stars who use Calox Tooth Powder. CALOX TOOTH POWDER

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She Swapped Mary—you mean thing! You promised me faithfully that you wouldn't give away that secret I told you. But now it's all round the town! Mabel—I didn't give it away. I exchanged it for others.

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Many Pupils Are "Topnotchers"

Pupils in Pocahontas county's elementary schools who have made test grades of 90% or better during the last six weeks period, and have qualified for the rank of "Topnotcher," have been announced by the Board of Education, as follows:

FOURTH GRADE

- Buckeye—Keith Morrison, Cassa, Mt.—Johnson Seabolt, Campbelltown—Helen Astin, Cass Graded—Tommy Shinaberry, Helen Jackson, Mary Dare Doyle, Betty Lou Sheets, Clover Lick—John Ligon Coyner, Evelyn Ervin, Lucia Cary Gardner, Bonnetta Shawalter, Cummings Creek—Orjo Alderman, Deaft—Norma Sue McKenny, Patty Woodshell, Durbin Graded—Dixie Beard, Bruce Bosley, Harold Wilfong, Martha Nelson, Jerry Spencer, Douglas Simmons, Frank (Colored)—Kenneth Nicholas, Grassy Ridge—Ray Bennett, Greenbrier Hill (Colored)—Della Hunter, Marlinton Graded—Curtis Carr, Jimmy Davis, Barbara Moses, Oleta Davis, Jewel Galford, Lucille Greene, Eva Jane Sharp, Alva Johnson, Jr., Minnehaha Springs—Alma Penney-baker, Harley Wadless, Tommy Winton, Nottingham—Glendora Nottingham, Old Lick—Bonnie Mullenax, Pine Grove—Shirley Brubaker, Seneca Trail—Lowell Gibson, Patricia Simmons, Wesley Chapel—Louise Taylor, West Droop—Marietta Ray, Huntersville—Carol Chestnut.

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Blue Lick—Dorothy Triplett, Doris Roberts, Dunmore—Gaynell Grimes, Greenbank Graded—Barbara Conrad, Linda Cassell, Hillsboro Graded—Ella Jo Shue, Dorothy Holbrook, Gay Wooddell, Patricia Boardard, Letcher Landis, Betty Mae Seath, Dora Simmons, Laren Anderson, Dolano Walker, Alice Landis, Barbara Rasmus, Tommy Walker.

FIFTH GRADE

Campbelltown—Janet Morrison, Croola Schumaker, Elma Shinnberry, Cass Graded—Richard Byrd, Gray Cassell, Margaret Cassell, Audrey Kesler, Billy Ray, Mary Bell Sampson, Darius Seldomridge, Virginia Sheppard, Cass (Colored)—Robert Hopkins, Clover Lick—Betty Constance Lowe, Durbin Graded—Steve Barnasky, Eugene Dilley, Harry Jack, Donald Spencer, Edsel Wright, Babby Wilfong, Joanne Ross, Mary Wilfong, Patsy Sue Elton, Juanita Mick, Lily Belle Moore, Frances Nelson, Elaine Peck, Katherine Simmons, Draft—Curtis McKenney, Craig Sharp, Greenbrier Hill—George Stewart, Marlinton Graded—Curtis Curry, Eldon Fortig, Gray Jackson, Fred Johnson, Porter Dan Kellison, Brooks Mason, Harry Tyree, Eddie VanReenen, Robert Viers, Evelyn Curry, Anna Jean Daetwyler, Martha Haddock, Alice Jack, Peggy Ann Madison, Oleta Moore, Dorothy Stuart, Floeta Thompson, Katherine Wool, Mt. Lebanon—Joan Morrison, Seneca Trail—Ralph Sharp, Naomi Mace, West Droop—Harry Wiley, Dunmore—John Hevener, Hillsboro Graded—Betty Arbogast, Nora Townsend, Dair Shue, John K. Fleming, Jr., Greenbank Graded—Daisy Rexrode, Harold Riley, Marlin Shears, Wanda Bell Tracy, Evelyn Hevener, Betty Ruth Sheets, Eleanor Snyder, Mary Ann Shifflett.

SIXTH GRADE

Beaver Creek—Bob Pyles, Ezra Dean, Buckeye—Edith Barnes, Mescal Morrison, Campbelltown—Lawrence Price, Cass Graded—Catherine Evans, Charlotte Fuls, Evelyn Hertig, Durbin Graded—Virginia Cassell, Gloria Eye, Ella Freeman, Benjamin Poscover, Kitty Spencer, Marlinton Graded—Harper Callison, Ernestine Cutlip, Eddie Lightner, Dan Moore, Helen Sharp, Jo Ann Sharp, Carolyn Thomas, Pine Grove—Anlee Murphy, Seneca Trail—Harold Gibson, West Droop—Anita Cutlip, Opal Brown, Greenbank Graded—Lloyd Nicely, Edith King.

SEVENTH GRADE

Durbin Graded—Junior Taylor, George Sheets, Cass Graded—Gertrude Blackhurst, Letha Cassell, Ray McLaughlin, Patty McPherson, Eleanor Shields, Marlinton Graded—Mayona Astin, Geraldine Broyles, Margaret Buzard, Nancy Chestnut, Mildred Wilfong, Nottingham—Elden Dean, Salisbury—Jimmy Nottingham, James Thompson, Hillsboro Graded—Mary Anne Simmons, Brownsburg—Virginia McChesney, J. F. Ashford and wife to Monongahela West Penn, right of way agreement, William S. Gragg et als to Harry H. Hefner and Leona Kennedy, 100 acres, Greenbank District, Emerson S. and Blanche Newman to Dewey and Golda McCarty, 69 acres, Huntersville District, E. E. and Madeline Walker to Virginia C. Anderson, 9 tracts, Little Levels District, Alva and Grace M. Buzzard and others to Ohio Oil Co., oil and gas lease, Harry H. Hefner to Theodore J. Arbogast, 4 acres, Greenbank District.

EIGHTH GRADE

Greenbank Graded—Lloyd Nicely, Edith King, Durbin Graded—Junior Taylor, George Sheets, Cass Graded—Gertrude Blackhurst, Letha Cassell, Ray McLaughlin, Patty McPherson, Eleanor Shields, Marlinton Graded—Mayona Astin, Geraldine Broyles, Margaret Buzard, Nancy Chestnut, Mildred Wilfong, Nottingham—Elden Dean, Salisbury—Jimmy Nottingham, James Thompson, Hillsboro Graded—Mary Anne Simmons, Brownsburg—Virginia McChesney, J. F. Ashford and wife to Monongahela West Penn, right of way agreement, William S. Gragg et als to Harry H. Hefner and Leona Kennedy, 100 acres, Greenbank District, Emerson S. and Blanche Newman to Dewey and Golda McCarty, 69 acres, Huntersville District, E. E. and Madeline Walker to Virginia C. Anderson, 9 tracts, Little Levels District, Alva and Grace M. Buzzard and others to Ohio Oil Co., oil and gas lease, Harry H. Hefner to Theodore J. Arbogast, 4 acres, Greenbank District.

COURT NEWS

Transactions entered upon the records books at the Pocahontas county courthouse during October are as follows:

DEEDS

Bertha F. and Virgil L. Spencer to W. A. Simmons, lot 5 part lot 6, block 29, Bartow, Lucy C. and P. H. Lowe to M. E. Shinaberry, 47 1/2 acres, Greenbank District, W. M. and Lillian F. Boggs to Gilbert S. Boggs, 12 acres, Little Levels District, Balphor L. McLaughlin et als to Ohio Oil Co., lease, Ruth McLaughlin et als to Ohio Oil Co., oil and gas lease, Lydia A. and Henry E. Slayton to Ronald Slayton, 8 acres, Huntersville District, Town of Marlinton to Eustice Brindle, cemetery lot, city, A. E. and Betty G. Thomas to James William McGraw, 11 lots, in Hamilton Field Addition, Marlinton, H. H. and Lottie Brown to Jesse Walling, 1/2 acre, Greenbank District, Homer M. and Mary E. Reed to Eugene and Jessie H. Mitchell, lots 21, 22, block 1, Bird Addition, Marlinton; also lots 23, 24, 25, block 2, Nellie E. Kellison to J. S. Kellison, deed of release, C. R. and Lillie Holliday to H. W. McNeel, 2 acres, 85 poles, Town of Hillsboro, S. P. Curry and Henry McNeel to T. P. McNeel, 100 and 3-10ths acres, Little Levels District, Frank Deputy et al to Jesse B. and Della W. Shrader, 163 acres, Huntersville District, Mary J. McClure to Davey C. Bowman, 207 acres, Little Levels District, Town of Marlinton to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bird, cemetery lot, city, C. J. Beish to David R. Gragg and wife, lots 1, 2, and 3 of lot 3, block 19, Durbin, G. B. Slaven and wife to Monongahela West Penn, right of way agreement, J. F. Ashford and wife to Monongahela West Penn, right of way agreement, William S. Gragg et als to Harry H. Hefner and Leona Kennedy, 100 acres, Greenbank District, Emerson S. and Blanche Newman to Dewey and Golda McCarty, 69 acres, Huntersville District, E. E. and Madeline Walker to Virginia C. Anderson, 9 tracts, Little Levels District, Alva and Grace M. Buzzard and others to Ohio Oil Co., oil and gas lease, Harry H. Hefner to Theodore J. Arbogast, 4 acres, Greenbank District.

NO ARMISTICE TODAY

TWENTY-FIVE years ago this world went wild with joy. The world tried "Peace". But there was no peace. There was only a truce.

This time there must be no truce. This time we are grimly determined to see the job through. We will make whatever sacrifice is necessary. We won't let it happen again.

Armistice Day this year marks the beginning of a new call upon our patriotism. A call directed especially to the people of this community.

One of the gravest threats to our all-out war effort is a shortage of pulpwood. We who live in the pulp-

wood-cutting areas are asked to make good that shortage. We will be paid for our wood, of course. But we are asked to do it as our special part in the war—backing up our own boys in the service.

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Signed Address



Uncle "Pud" Tucker

Says — By HOY McCUSKEY

PISTOL TOTIN' MAMAS

Night after night we listen to our Radio tellin' about the good work the women are doin' in the Army and Navy. Not once have we heard where one of 'em has learned a thing about shootin'. We're noticed of late that an increasing number of wives are in need of revolver practice and instruction. In a dozen recent incidents the wife has missed her husband entirely or merely wounded him. This is not only a waste of time and energy but it tends to cause the wife to lose confidence in herself, and when confidence departs she might just as well throw her pistol in the cistern. We believe the Government is overlookin' this important school of instruction and should appropriate a couple billion dollars for this important national sport and teach the gals along with the boys how to shoot straight. —Pud Tucker.



Dollie Seabolt to Lon Rose, 1 acre, Little Levels District, J. C. Klink to Lon Rose, 4 acres, 48 poles, Little Levels District, J. E. Thorn to Ally Kelley, 1 tract, Edray, MARRIAGE LICENSES September 4—Glenn Wilson Wilfong and Dorothy Marian Killovan, October 13—Henry Clinton Dean and Birdie Nancy Lester, October 20—Samuel J. Smith, Jr., and Ava Virginia Arbogast.

CASS NEWS

COMMISSIONS MEET The Mission and Recreation Commission of the Methodist Church held its monthly meeting at the home of the chairman, Mrs. J. A. Porter. Mrs. Porter was in charge of the devotional song, "Blest Be the Tie," followed by a prayer by Mrs. Porter, Scripture by Sue Porter, and a story by Marie Dill. The group sang "America," and repeated the Lord's Prayer. Present were Marie Dill, Maxine Fisher, Evelyn Galford, Dorothy Lee Mick, Sue Porter, and the hostess, Julia Fisher became a new member, and Mrs. Ruth Rimmer of Pennsylvania was a visitor. The Worship and Evangelism Commission held its monthly meeting at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Oscar Hertig. Nadine Shifflett had the devotional. Scripture was read by Imogene Shifflett. The song, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," was followed by a prayer by Evelyn Hertig, and a talk on "Faith" was given by Nadine Shifflett. The meeting closed with the singing of "In the Garden," and a poem, "If Love Was Mine," by Clara Dahmer. Members present were Nadine and Imogene Shifflett, Clara and Juanita Dahmer, Kathleen Ware, Mrs. P. P. Galford, adult counsellor, Evelyn Hertig and the hostess.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church met last Sunday at 6:45 p. m. Kathleen Ware was program leader. The opening hymn, "This is My Father's World," was followed by Scripture readings by Evelyn Hertig, Marie Dill, Evelyn Galford and Bertha Lee Dill. Other program features were: Kymon, "I Would Be True"; poem, Bill Long; talk, Ted Shinaberry; poem, "My Father's World and Mine," Judith Cassell; hymn, "Jesus Calls Us"; talk, "I'm a Soldier," Maxine Fisher; poem, "The Call of Youth," Julia Fisher, and prayer, Dorothy Lee Mick. Twenty-five were present for the "Tues." who are leading in a contest. A special program will be given next Sunday night to dedicate the Service Flags of the Church. Every-

one is invited, and parents and friends of service men from the Methodist Church are especially urged to be present.

Pfc. Calvin Galford of the Army stationed at Tampa, Fla., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Galford.

Miss Mable Maury of Elkins was the week-end guest of Miss Ruth Nethken.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Arrington and family of Charleston visited Mrs. Arrington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Slaven, last week.

Pfc. Alex Dunne of Fort Hayes, Columbus, O., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mayes of Baltimore were visiting his parents last week.

Mrs. Bill Blackhurst who lives near Charleston was visiting her father, Bernard Hamrick, who is very ill in the Marlinton hospital. She also visited relatives here last week.

Bob Wright, former manager of the Mower Lumber Co. store, left Saturday for the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Galford were in Charleston several days last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waugh spent the week-end in Removorte.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blackhurst and daughter of Balls visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Harry Blackhurst last week.

Miss Ernestine Hamrick of Baltimore spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamrick.

Mrs. J. W. Bible returned from Elkins Saturday where she had been called due to the serious illness and later death of her sister, Mrs. Esther Harris, who passed away October 22 at her home there.



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SOCIAL DOTS

Chatty Items About People And Events

To put emphasis upon the marriage points this week, we relate the following:

Dick Corroon and family visited relatives in Clarkburg last week-end. He is currently being seen with his music, and nervously awaited the arrival of his (husband's) uniform. . . .

Miss Marian Popeck, D. B. Sharp Marry In Washington

Miss Marian Frances Popeck and Mr. Daniel Byron Sharp were united in marriage Sunday afternoon, October 31, 1943, at 4 o'clock, in a double ring ceremony read by a Rev. Wilson Holder in the Centennial Baptist Church at Washington, D. C.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Popeck, of Washington, Pa., and Mr. Sharp is of Washington, D. C., and is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sharp of Pinehurst farm on Knapps Creek, this county.

The bride, who was given in marriage by Mr. William Dare, was attired in a long white satin bridal gown and veil and carried a large bouquet of white chrysanthemums. Her maid of honor, Miss La Fern Smith, of Arlington, Va., wore a light blue taffeta gown with hat of ostrich feathers and veil to match, and carried a large bouquet of ruscus chrysanthemums.

The bride's mother was dressed in pale blue with black accessories and wore a corsage of red rosebuds. The bridegroom's aunt, Mrs. G. M. Sharp, wore royal blue crepe with blue accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds.

Mr. Sharp is a graduate of McKinley high school, Washington, D. C., and is now a machinist in the Navy Yards there. Mrs. Sharp, is a graduate of Washington high school, of Washington, Pa., and is employed as a stenographer in the Navy Department in the nation's capital.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Smith of Arlington, Va., where a three-tiered cake surmounted by bridal figures centered the dining table.

Those attending from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Popeck, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Craig, Mrs. Ethel M. Kuncis, Mr. and Mrs. George Bahlman, Mr. and Mrs. Warren B. Darne, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Sharp, George Saunders, Mrs. Sarah C. Haines, Mrs. G. M. Sharp, Roy Green, Miss Loretta Wygant, Miss Jane Elwell, Miss Bante F. Benedetta, Miss Louise M. Dorsett, Miss Peggy Decker, Miss La Fern Smith, William Dare, Miss Ruby Marshall, Miss Robbie Partain, Miss Ruby Walz, James Kuncis, Miss Betty Y. Kuncis.

Those attending from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Popeck of Washington, Pa., Bery Sharp of Aberdeen, and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sharp, of near Marlinton.

Mrs. Ben Morgan is spending some time with her parents in Greenbrier County.

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McNeel-Dever

Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Dever of Huntersville announce the marriage of their daughter, Leada Earlene to Mr. Samuel Edgar McNeel, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McNeel of Hillsboro.

The ceremony took place November 3, 1943, at 2:30 o'clock at the Presbyterian Manse in Marlinton, with the Rev. J. C. Wool officiating. Mr. Dhari Dever, brother of the bride, attended the couple.

Mrs. McNeel is a graduate of Marlinton high school and the Charleston School of Commerce. She is a member of Alpha Jota, honorary business sorority.

Mr. McNeel is a graduate of Hillsboro high school and is now engaged in farming in that community.

Following the ceremony the couple left for a wedding trip to Cincinnati, Ohio. Upon their return they will reside in Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baxter and Calvin Price attended the opening Saturday of the Webster Springs-Valley Head road.

Mrs. A. C. McCoy and grandson Curtis McCoy of Baltimore, were in Marlinton this week, returning to the Maryland city Tuesday afternoon.

Eastern Star Gives Degrees

At a meeting of the Marlinton Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, held in the lodge hall Tuesday night, Helen Ammons and Esther Campbell were given the degrees of the order. Refreshments were served at Johnson's Restaurant after the meeting.

Woman's Club Meets Friday

The Marlinton Woman's Club will meet Friday night at the home of Mrs. R. S. McNeil. Aubrey E. Ferguson will review William Saroyan's "The Human Comedy," as a feature of the program.

Mrs. Jett to Entertain

Mrs. Walter Jett entertained with two tables of bridge at her home on Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Raymond Condee of Charleston who, with her husband and daughter, is spending a week here. Mr. Condee is on a hunting trip.

Mrs. W. A. Bratton returned last week from Charleston after a visit with her son, who was home on furlough.

Evelyn Menefee will leave this week for Fort Mead where she will join the Army Nurse Corps.

Milne-Hively

Miss Alice Nell Hively became the bride of Major Jack H. Milne, of Mitchell Field, N. Y., in a double ring ceremony Friday afternoon, October 22, at 4:30 o'clock, in the Central Christian Church of Fairmont, with the Rev. Ashley Booth officiating.

For her marriage the bride, an attractive brunette, was gowned in a gray wool dress with brown accessories, and wore a corsage of orchids. She is a daughter of L. R. Hively of Huntersville, and is a graduate of Marlinton high school. She received her Bachelor of Science degree in 1940 from West Virginia University.

Major Milne, U. S. A. C., is the son of Mrs. Nell K. Milne of Myersdale, Pa., and the late Dr. M. R. Milne. He was graduated from Myersdale high school, and attended West Virginia University. He is a graduate of Randolph and Kelley Field flying schools in Texas, and has been in foreign service. He is now located at Mitchell Field, N. Y.

Following the ceremony, Major and Mrs. Milne left for a short honeymoon. Witnessing the marriage were Mrs. Ashley Booth, Mrs. Leslie Haught and Miss Helen Tucker.

Those in White Sulphur Springs Saturday night to meet their husbands returning from Chicago were Mrs. Preston McLaughlin, Mrs. Clark McCutcheon and Mrs. Bill Miller.

Roy Perkins of Lewisburg is working this week for Roy Dever in the local liquor store. Mr. Dever and Richard Gibson of Frost are on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Glenn Smith announce the birth of a daughter, Glenda Irene, born October 26, 1943, at Pocahontas Memorial Hospital.

George Clark and Harry Lynn Sheets, Pocahontas county boys in service, met recently in a hotel lobby in a city on foreign soil.

Mrs. Burton Smith left Tuesday for Toledo, O., to be with her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Emrick, who is in a hospital there with pneumonia.

J. W. Hills, city recorder, is a patient at the local hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Parsons were in Huntington from Friday until Sunday, visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams, who are the parents of a son, born last week-end.

Miss Virginia Barnett left Tuesday to spend the winter at Orlando, Fla. She had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Eudora Pritchard of Pocahontas County.

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Thurs., Nov. 18th Fri., Nov. 19th
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— in —
"Something to Shout About"



Miss Betty Poole of Charleston will arrive this week to be the guest of Mrs. Charles Richardson and Dick McEwee.

Rebecca Doddrell, assistant County Agent of Pocahontas, will leave Thursday to assume the duties of County Agent in Preston county.

Rationing

PROCESSED FOODS
Blue Stamps X, Y, Z, in War Ration Book 2 good through Nov. 29. Green Stamps A, B, C, in War Book 4 good through Dec. 30.

MEATS, CHEESE, BUTTER, FATS, CANNED FISH, CANNED MILK
Brown Stamps G and H in War Ration Book 3 now valid; J became valid Nov. 7; K is valid Nov. 14. Stamps G, H, J, and K expire Dec. 4.

SUGAR
Stamp No. 29 in War Book 4, which is marked "Sugar," good for 5 pounds through Jan. 15, 1944.

POINT VALUE CHANGED
The ration point value of hamburger has been increased from seven to eight points. At the same time OPA broadened its definition of hamburger to permit additional meat cuts of the lower grades of beef—now being produced in large quantities—to be sold as hamburger.

Harvest Day at Oak Grove Church This Saturday

Oak Grove Presbyterian Church in Hillsboro will observe its "Harvest Day" or "Ingathering" service Saturday, November 13. The congregation is now completing its second year in operating the "Lord's Acre" Plan.

Saturday's program will include a worship at 11 a. m. in which Rev. Aubrey Ferguson of Marlinton will preach. Dinner will be served by the ladies at the church at 12:30 o'clock, and the sale of produce will be held at 2:00 p. m. A large crowd is expected.

DUNMORE NEWS

W.S.C.S. MEETS
The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. Beas Taylor on Thursday night, November 4, to begin its mission study course. The textbook is "We Who Are America."

CONDUCTS SERVICES
Services of the Baxter Church on last Sunday night were conducted by Rev. Aubrey E. Ferguson of Marlinton. He was accompanied here by Mrs. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. John Sydenstricker.

PERSONALS
Elvin McQuain, who has finished his "boot" training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, is spending a 9-day leave with his wife and other relatives.

Mrs. D. C. Arbogast and children Billy and Joan of Huntington, spent part of the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stamper. Sgt. Marion Stamper, Misses Peggy Allred and Agnes Cable and Charles Allred of Greensboro, N. C., spent the week-end with Sgt. Stamper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stamper.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Grimes spent Sunday, November 7, with Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Grimes of Clover Lick. Mrs. L. R. Campbell spent part of last week in Richmond, Va., with her niece, Mrs. Les Johnson.

Misses Virginia Lee Hevener, Pauline Campbell, Jane and Ida Hiner were in Cass last Saturday.

Mrs. Jake Lightner is a patient in the Harrisonburg hospital.

Mrs. Josie McLaughlin is a patient in the Pocahontas Memorial Hospital. Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Campbell on Sunday, November 7, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore, Mr. and Mrs. U. F. McElwee and Charles and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Moore and daughters Lehlina and Marcia.

Mrs. Glen Waugh of Marlinton spent Wednesday, November 3, with her mother, Mrs. H. H. Grimes.

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Ann Page French Butter lb jar 31c

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Ann Page Baking Powder, 12-oz carton 12c
Sunnyfield Oats 3-lb pkg 19c
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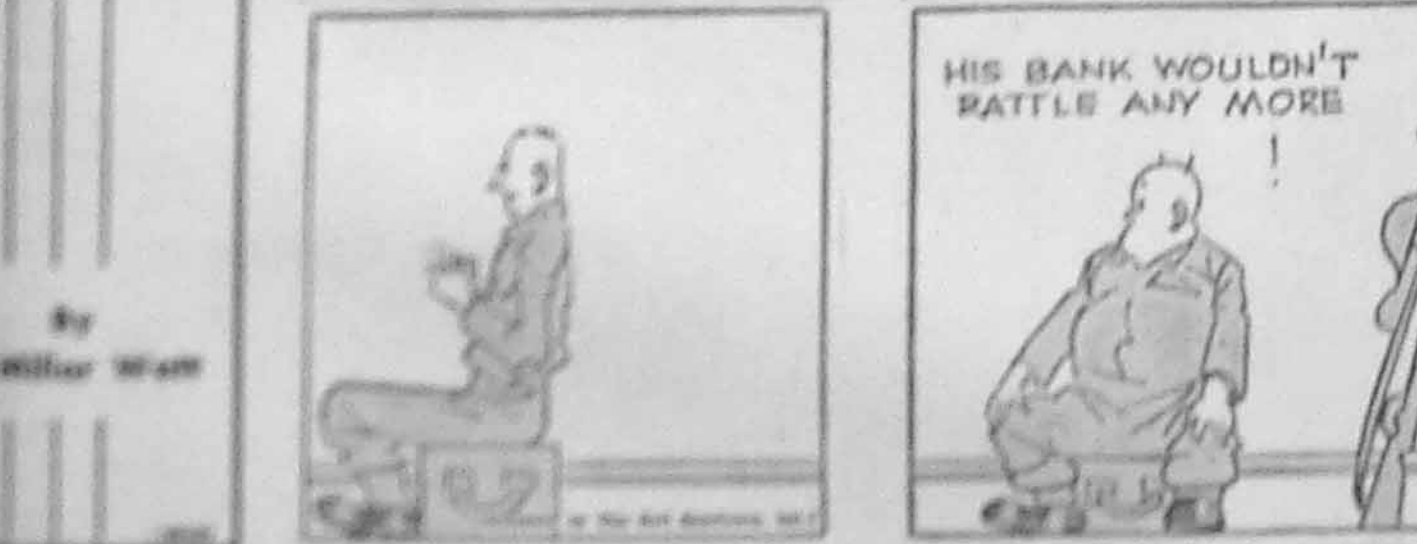
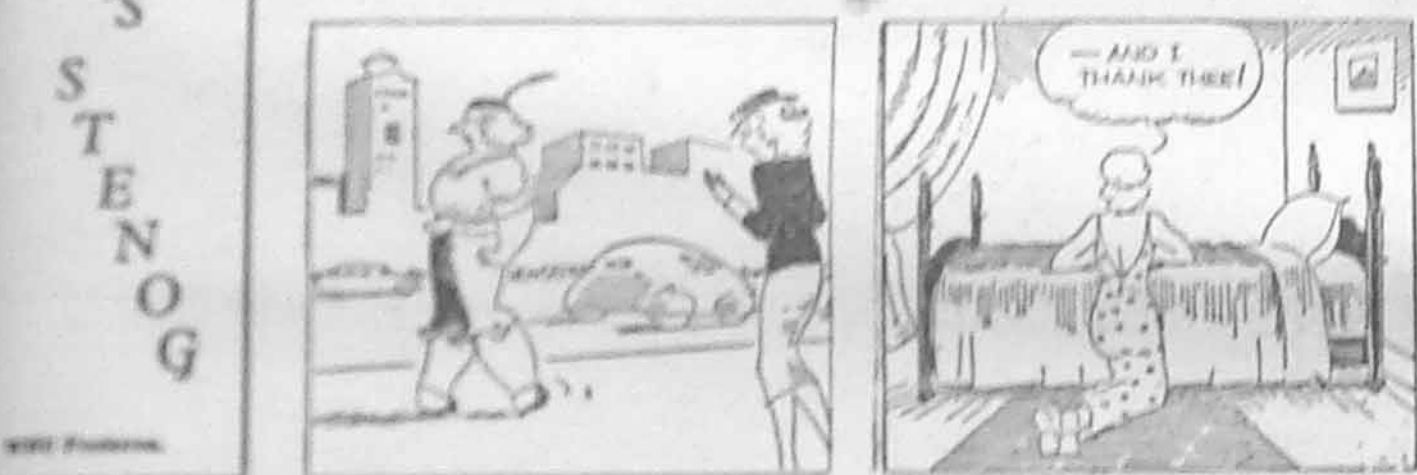
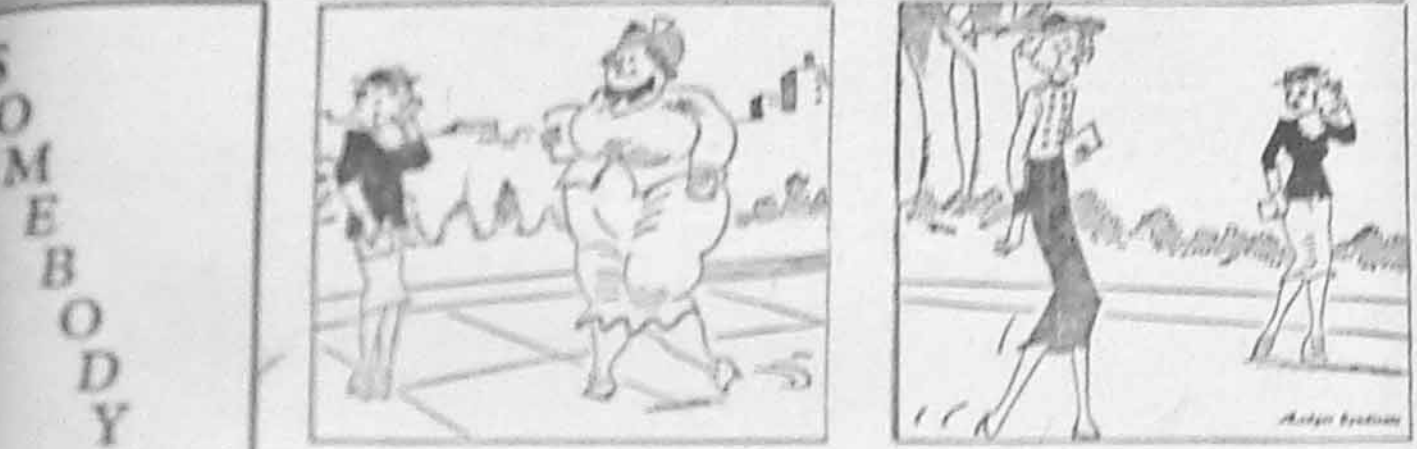
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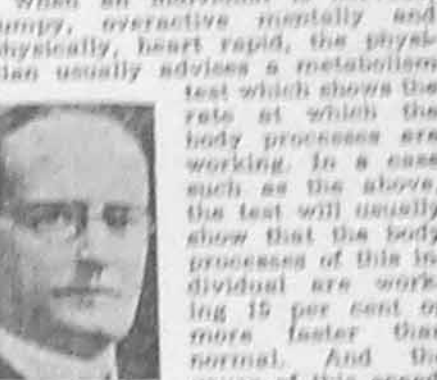
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When the heart is beginning to fail, the first symptom noted is shortness of breath after exertion, and especially after eating.

Another symptom to appear in early heart failure is swelling of the ankles or of the other parts, especially the liver.

The first thought in the treatment of early heart failure is to reduce the amount of work done by the heart by resting more, strengthening the power of the heart muscle yet quieting it if necessary.

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ASK ME ANOTHER? A General Quiz

- 1. What river flows through three European capitals?
2. What is a quern?
3. What are the national colors of Mexico?
4. In diplomatic service which is the highest rank, ambassador, minister or consul?
5. Which two countries of South America do not touch Brazil?
6. If you are served pomme de terre in a French restaurant you would be eating what?

- The Answers
1. The Danube flows through Vienna, Budapest and Belgrade.
2. A small hand mill for grinding spices.
3. Green, white and red.
4. Ambassador.
5. Ecuador and Chile.
6. Potatoes.

RHEUMATIC PAIN

Don't put off getting C-2225 to relieve pain of muscular rheumatism and other rheumatic pains. Caution: Use only as directed. First bottle purchase price back if not satisfied.

Gorillas Here There are 19 gorillas in the United States.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666 666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

IN THE TANK FORCES they say:

- "DOODLE BUG" for Army reconnaissance car
"CANS" for radio man's head phones
"STONE CRUSHERS" for infantry
"CAMEL" for the favorite cigarette with men in the Army



IT'S CAMELS FOR ME EVERY TIME - THAT FRESH FLAVOR AND EXTRA MILDNESS CAN'T BE BEAT!

CAMEL

FIRST IN THE SERVICE

With men in the Army, the Navy, the Marine Corps, and the Coast Guard, the favorite cigarette is Camel. (Based on animal sales records.)

Success of National War Fund Campaign in Pocahontas County Now Practically Assured

With the success of the Pocahontas County National War Fund drive practically assured, according to this week's report of Harper M. Smith, chairman, this county takes its place among the leaders who have reached their quotas in the nation-wide effort to raise \$150,000,000 for the eighteen associated groups.

Boosted by a donation of \$200 from the International Shoe Company and generous gifts from other contributors who were interested in seeing the campaign go "over the top" here, Mr. Smith reported Tuesday that the funds in hand amounted to \$2,100.00. In addition, word was received from three district workers that they had aggregate sums amounting to \$250.00, making the known contributions amount to \$3,440.00, and leaving only \$53.34 to be raised in the quota of \$1,500.00.

Chairman Smith pointed out that persons who had not yet made their donations could now bring the drive in this county to its completion by doing so immediately.

- ### NATIONAL WAR FUND CONTRIBUTORS
- November 11, Mrs. Clyde...
 - 12, Mrs. Ova McNeill...
 - 13, Mrs. M. S. Wilson...
 - 14, Mrs. W. A. Beaton...
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Paper Parachute Developed by Navy For Dropping Supplies

The Navy Department has developed a paper cargo parachute and orders for its production are now being placed by the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts. Such a parachute is expected to be especially useful in dropping supplies, as in cases where troops in combat areas are cut off from their lines of supply.

Marlinton Meets White Sulphur In Play-off Here

Football fans from far and near will be attracted here Saturday for the outstanding game to be played by Marlinton high school this year.

Cass Four-H Club Elects Catherine Sheets President

The Cass Do-More Do-More Four-H Club held a meeting on October 28 at the home of Dorothy Lee Mick, Marie Dill, leader of the club, had charge of a program upon the subject "October—In Review," during which various members told of things which had happened in October.

Street Altercation Fatal to Man, 51

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Co-op Declares Dividends

Dividends of 2 1/2 and 3 per cent, respectively, have just been declared by Southern States Cooperative's board of directors on the organization's 5 and 6 per cent preferred stock, payable January 1, 1944.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat



OUR ARMED FORCES FIGHT TO WIN THE WAR — WE WORK TO HELP THEM WIN IT.
BY CONVERTING WHAT WE REAP FROM OUR LABOR INTO WAR BONDS, SAVINGS ACCOUNTS, LIFE INSURANCE — WE DO OUR PART TO MAKE A BETTER TOMORROW FOR THEM AND FOR OURSELVES.

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"PULPWOOD, sawlogs and other forest products are urgently needed war materials. We are depending on the farm woodland owners of the country for a very substantial share of the production that will be required to back up our men at the fighting fronts. . . . I want to urge every farm woods owner who has salable timber to do two things: First, cut and market as much wood as he can; and second, follow good forestry practice in cutting it, so that a good stand of young timber will be left growing for future crops."

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Method 2—This method has been developed within the past several years. As it permits heat to reach the center of the jar more quickly, it is preferred when it is necessary to can meat by the boiling water bath method.

Boil Before Tasting
If meat must be canned in a boiling water bath, do not taste it until it has been boiled vigorously in an uncovered jar for 10 minutes. Without tasting, discard all food that has a bad color or that looks spoiled. Spoiled food may cause illness or death.

Pork Sausage
A tested and generally approved formula for making sausage is: 50 pounds of meat, 1 pound of salt, and 2 1/2 ounces of black pepper.

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IT Impresses ME

It's a Wonder He Didn't Get Shagged!
WHEN Chief Petty Officer Willard Eskridge came home from his "back" training at Great Lakes, he stepped down from the train at White Sulphur and stepped up to Mrs. Eskridge and kissed her. . . . But she drew back from the "stranger" . . . and didn't recognize him without his mustache and wearing glasses! . . . "Yes!"

For Next Year's Politicians—
They that buy an office most sell something.—Proverb.

Small World Item . . .
Capt. Ira B. Bangardner, Jr., of the U. S. Army, sentenced to have some teeth repaired while stationed in California, walked with forced bravery (you know the feeling) into the dental room — and guess who performed the agony? . . . Just an old friend from Marlinton, Capt. John B. Davis, former dentist here. . . .

For the World's Elite—
Human blood is all of one color.—Ancient—(but still modern).

WE may as well tell you now that it looks like Howard Hevener of Greenbank section has picked himself up another music box. . . . But he can't stick this one away in the barn! . . . (See Greenbank item) . . .

Annex's Forgiveness—
Industry is Fortune's right hand, and frugality is her left.—Franklin.

THAT there's still hope on the home front as long as useful persons like Marie Dill of Cass are lending their guiding hand to things. . . .

For the Conscientious—
The sieve says to the needle, you have a hole in your tail.—Benguese.

THAT if you're looking for a really handsome soldier you need go no further after you meet Glen Rhen . . .

Providential Pointer—
Praise God—but pay the doctor.

AN old-fashioned mustache cup will be the appropriate Christmas gift for Frank McLaughlin . . . judging from the appearance now . . .

Reverie! . . .
DER FUERHER is said to be a great lover of trees. . . . We know the Japs are because the only time they ever bombed the U. S. mainland they went after the timber of Oregon. . . . It would be stingy of us not to give Adolph and Tojo all of the trees we can spare — but let's give them in the form of powder in block-busting bombs for Berlin, in powder for Garand rifle bullets for the "dismembering" Nazi forces in Italy, or in powder for our mighty battleships now hunting Japs in the South Pacific. . . . How? . . . Well, every home soldier who enlists now in the drive to "Cut-a-Cord of Pulpwood for Every Local Boy in the Armed Service" is helping to give the Nastys and the Yaps "tree medicine" . . .

Our patrons will be interested to know that arrangements have been completed for the continuance of The Marlinton Journal under its present management, even in the event the editor passes his physical examination for service with the armed forces sometime in December. Full explanation and details of certain changes necessitated by circumstances will be published in next week's issue. —The Editor.



Lyle E. Watts, Chief of U. S. Forest Service.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Both Parties Study Election Trends; Higher Wage Scale Ends Coal Strike; Permit System May Regulate Marketing As Hog Shipments Flood Packing Plants

EDITOR'S NOTE: When columns are arranged in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news service and not necessarily of this newspaper. Released by Western Newspaper Union.



Admiral William Halsey, left, and Gen. Douglas MacArthur map latest Allied war plans in South Pacific. Vice Admiral A. S. Carpenter is pictured behind General MacArthur.

HOGS:

Heavy Receipts

With hog shipments flooding packing centers and many slaughterers reported shifting receipts to less congested yards, there were rumors that the government may impose a permit system to regulate marketing.

During a recent three-day period, packers received 574,000 hogs, almost 40,000 over the record October peak of the previous week. With packers in possession of from three to ten days' supplies, 250 to 270 pounds brought \$14.40 in the Chicago yards, with weights below 180 pounds dropping from 15 cents to \$1 under the \$13.75 "floor."

Although the government had worked out a permit system for marketing last year, it did not apply it when heavy runs leveled off. According to experts, preference would be given to bigger hogs if the permit system were to be applied now.

Meat Production

Meat production for 1944 will total 24 billion pounds, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported, but increased government needs will cut civilian allocations.

More than 90 million hogs will be slaughtered in 1944, the BAE said, or three million more than this year. Because of smaller spring pig crops, however, next fall's marketings should drop below current levels.

Despite record slaughterings in 1943, cattle on farms should number about 60 million head January 1. Because of the feed situation, total cattle fed should slide below 1943 levels in the corn belt and other areas, BAE said.

Because of a shortage of sows and labor, the 1944 lamb crop should be one to two million head smaller than this year, with slaughter also dropping. Butchering of sheep at 1943 levels would seriously deplete supplies by 1945.

ELECTIONS:

GOP Trend

With the election of Republican Sen. W. W. Wadsworth of Kentucky, the GOP swept through all 10 seats at stake in congressional elections in a swing in the political pendulum.

In New York, Republican Joe R. Buckley defeated a majority of 345,000 votes to win the lieutenant-governorship from Democrat Elmer C. Winter. In New Jersey, Republican Gov. William W. Wallack defeated Democrat Tom Dewey to win the gubernatorial race in 1944.

Gov. of New Jersey during World War I, Republican Walter Edge ran off a majority of 120,000 votes to win the office again during World War II, beating liberal-backed Democrat Thomas Murphy.

Republicans continued their 22-year control of Philadelphia with the election of Republican Bernard Lamm to mayor over White House favorite and Democrat William Wallace, Jr. in 1943.

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Record Debt for U. S.

As of October 31, the direct federal debt of the U. S. stood at approximately 165 billion dollars. Broken down, that represents a debt of \$1,293 for every person in the country or \$5,999 per family, on the basis of four members. Interest rates have fallen to an all-time low of less than 2 per cent, however.

The present debt contrasts with the one of \$5 billion which existed before the war, when the interest rate averaged 5 1/2 per cent. Following World War I, the public debt reached 26 1/2 billion dollars, with over 4 per cent interest. The present 165 billion dollar debt does not include over 4 billion dollars of government guaranteed obligations.

MANPOWER: Define Essential Industry

At least 75 per cent of a company's business must be essential for employees to be frozen into their jobs under War Manpower commission regulations. In plants with essential as well as nonessential production, only workers employed on the essential manufacturing can be frozen into their positions.

RUSSIA: Near Rumania

As German forces retreated in the southern Ukraine, they were only 100 miles from the prewar Rumanian border, while in the north, they fell back to within 45 miles of the old Latvian boundary.

Krivoi Rog remained the focal point in the southern Ukraine, with the Germans fighting bitterly to hold open an escape corridor for their troops threatened with encirclement in the great bend of the Dnieper river. With the Germans holding at Krivoi Rog, it appeared as though they were successful in moving most of their forces from the trap.

Along the Black sea coast further south, Russian troops continued to pour over the bleak, barren Nogaisk plains, with German forces streaming westward toward the Rumanian border. As a result of recent movements, the battle front in Russia ran in almost a straight line from north to south, with the huge Dnieper river bulge eliminated.

EUROPE: Food Plentiful

With 14 1/2 billion bushels of bread cereals harvested and dairy herds at high levels, Europe's food stocks appear adequate for the next year on the basis of reports of European newspapers and Swedish correspondents. Only pig and poultry supplies are smaller.

Because of the efficiency of Germany's rationing system, it was said, food will not contribute to any collapse of the Nazi home front. Increased production of vegetable oils are supplementing the Germans' diet. On the other hand, Russia faces serious food shortages this winter, with conditions approaching famine in some areas.

Should the war in Europe end suddenly, big difficulty in feeding the populace would arise in moving the food from the farms to the cities, where plants made idle by cessation of war production would create severe problems of unemployment.

INSIDE JAPAN: Morale High

Intensive propaganda has had its effect in Japan, with its 90 million people firm in their conviction that theirs is a holy war to smash the white man's economic domination of Asia.

Early victories after Pearl Harbor heightened Japanese enthusiasm, and although overburdened transportation facilities have aggravated the general food shortage with black markets thriving, travelers say that the usually frugal populace has accepted added privations as one of the necessities of war.

Financed by paper money issues, Japan's war industries are booming, with everybody from employer to worker prospering. Cattle wages alone have risen from about 24 cents to \$2.50 a day. The Japs are heavy war bond buyers.

As head of the Japanese religion, Emperor Hirohito still commands awesome loyalty of the people, with Premier Tojo cleverly playing upon this reverence to mobilize the state.

WAR STOCKS FALL

News of an early peace resulting from the Moscow conference and victories on the Russian and Italian fronts, caused declines in war stocks, including railroads, and an increase in prices of stocks on the New York and other exchanges.

War stocks fell sharply, and many stocks were down as much as 10 per cent. The Dow Jones industrial average fell 100 points to 100.00.

Washington Digest

Government Needs Reports On U. S. Holdings Abroad

Form TFR-500 Supplies Valuable Information Concerning American Stake In Foreign Lands, Aids Reconstruction.

By SAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

WFO Service, Union Trust Building, Washington, D. C.

When Paratrooper Jones landed "plap" in the midst of a field he had never heard of in a country he was able to lead his comrades direct to a certain building whose purpose, importance, construction and contents, almost down to the last nut and bolt, were all known in detail by the American high command. Paratrooper Jones knew just where to get to the point he wanted to leave his dynamite and General Smith, at the headquarters, knew exactly the damage that would result to the enemy when that dynamite went off.

Neither would have had that information if a worried banker in Bingville, U. S. A., hadn't painstakingly filled out Form TFR-500 which the treasury department had sent him.

The information asked for concerned American investments in foreign lands, and the information the government got back made it possible for it to get the detailed blue prints of the factory that Jones blew up from the American firm which had built it and, in this case, the construction engineer who had bossed the job.

The function of these annoying TFR-500's which have already located American investments in 192 countries, the largest single one of which is seven million dollars and the smallest forty dollars, serves other exceedingly useful, if not as dramatic, purposes.

Other Functions

One government official pointed out to me another important function this information plays in non-military wartime activities. He said: "The more complete information the government has on the total American stake abroad, the more successful will be the efforts of our forces on the fighting fronts, the more quickly will the Allied Military Government be able to restore civilian activities in reconquered areas, the better equipped our representatives will be to safeguard the interests of the American people during the peace table discussions, and the sounder will be the working out of postwar policies in the field of international economic relationships."

"This survey of American investments abroad is an instrument of vital importance to the future of this country. Most other world powers have long since collected similar information. They not only know the holdings of their own nationals all over the world, but their relations with those of other countries. Their plans are well formulated to protect and develop these investments. Our government believes we should not be less well informed."

This official had a particular reason in discussing this situation with me. First, he wanted to stimulate the people who had received Form TFR-500 in giving as complete a report as possible.

Second, he desired wide publicity in the hope that other American citizens, individuals, corporations, executives of estates, trustees of charitable organizations who might be able to furnish the information desired, would get in touch with the treasury department and turn it over to the government.

Rehabilitation

Aside from its value to military men, the facts are exceedingly important to the Allied officials who are administering rehabilitation in occupied countries. If they know about a plant that has certain production facilities or trained people who can be used in producing what they desire, it greatly helps their work. It has proved in Sicily, and will prove in Italy, of great value to the Allied administrators to get information concerning the citizens so that they can pick those who are of known non-Fascist leanings to cooperate with them.

The information also, of course, is exceedingly valuable to many of the government departments.

Claims for Damages

Another thing that the state department is called upon to do is to assist citizens in getting back their property in countries that have been

affected by the war. Also there is the question of claims for damage to American property.

There are more than 100 people in the state department alone who are now working on postwar plans. One of the most important phases of this work is the reopening of trade with the war areas as well as the rest of the world. Of course, the terms under which the trade is reopened may depend on the industrial possibilities of the various areas; and how soon the controls of foreign exchange can be dropped will depend, in a large part, on the extent of the U. S. and other foreign holdings of the obligations of the country in question. All this will affect our exporters here as well as American interests in foreign countries.

Belonging to the Best... THERE IS NO ASPIRIN... The gaily illustrated card you see on a soldier's uniform...

Relief At Last For Your Cough... CREOMULSION For Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis... Industrial and Farming... While the United States has become an industrial nation...

HOW MY QUILT PIECES HELP YOU... Make a Beautiful Quilt... See The First Offering Below... You can use my bright new quilt patterns...

FREE... More Seven Leaf Clovers... Recent botanical studies show that seven-leaf clovers are five times as numerous as six-leaf clovers.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666... 666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS... Our 11th War... Counting its conflicts with the Indians, the United States has led at war 111 times.

SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER... Of the 120,000,000 inhabitants of the United States, 10,000,000 have no real education...

BRIEFS... by Saukhage... More than 10,000,000 servicemen per year still live in this hemisphere outside continental United States.

Five hundred Cuban youths are fighting in the service of the United Nations, according to General Benitez Valdes, special Cuban delegate to Mexico. Two thousand Mexicans are fighting in the U. S. Army.

Fourteen and 17-year-old school boys are being used in man anti-aircraft defenses in Germany. It is reported that the German High Command is using these boys in anti-aircraft defenses in Germany.

B.F. Goodrich... FIRST IN RUBBER... The gaily illustrated card you see on a soldier's uniform...

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... of Aspirin ...

At Last
our Cough

... cough ...

ULSION

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FACTS
UBBER

IMPROVED
UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL
SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HENRIETTA L. LINDQUIST, D. D.
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Lesson for November 21

Lesson subjects and Scripture texts are prepared by the International Board of Christian Education, used by millions of churches.

HONESTY IN ALL THINGS

LESSON TEXT—Ezekiel 18:13; Leviticus 19:11, 13; Luke 19:11, 13, 15, 27.
GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shalt not steal—Exodus 20:15.

ASK ME ? A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions

1. What is the Quirinal?
2. How many deadly sins are listed?
3. What does blood plasma look like, as used by the Red Cross in the care of the wounded?
4. Who wrote the lines: "He prayeth best who loveth best all things both great and small"?
5. How long is a kilometer?
6. How many children did Johann Sebastian Bach have?

The Answers

1. One of the seven hills of Rome.
2. Seven: Pride, anger, lust, envy, covetousness, gluttony, and sloth.
3. It is a white powder, resembling ordinary baking soda.
4. Samuel Coleridge.
5. A kilometer is five-eighths of a mile.
6. Johann Sebastian Bach had twenty children.

Hothouse Lambs Hard to Raise; Expensive Delicacy

Sheep born in the fall and early winter, when sold in the suckling stage between two and four months of age, are known as hothouse lambs, says Pathfinder. The animals not only have to be raised with special care, but they constitute only one in about every 25,000 sheep slaughtered here annually. Consequently, their meat is a rare and expensive delicacy and most of it is purchased by fine restaurants and other luxury trade.

Heaven Wills
Heaven wills our happiness, allows our doom.—Young.

TOO BAD

We can't make enough Smith Bros. Cough Drops to satisfy everybody, because our output is war-reduced—so please buy only as many as you really need. Through three generations and five wars, Smith Bros. Cough Drops have given soothing relief from coughs due to colds. Still only 5¢.

SMITH BROS. COUGH DROPS
BLACK OR MENTHOL—5¢



★ Invest in Liberty: Buy War Bonds

The Rubber Shortage is behind us but the Tire Shortage is still here!

Less than two years ago America faced as frightening a situation as any country at war ever faced. Unless something was done, and done quickly, we would soon be without rubber.

And without rubber, no plane could fly, no tank could move, no ship could sail, no truck could roll, people could not get to work, materials could not move to and from plants.

That was the situation the Government and the rubber companies had to lick inside of two years if America was to stay in the war.

that unless you, and all tire-owners continue to make the preservation of tires a vital personal problem . . . our home-front transportation will break down and slow up the war production of America.

The way out is for you to conserve the tires you've got—stretch their life in every way you can.

FACTS ABOUT TRUCK AND BUS TIRES

On truck and bus tires, particularly in over-the-road, inter-city service, the situation is less satisfactory.

Truck and bus tires are operated under more severe conditions than passenger car tires. They are heavier, thicker—generate more heat. They are all too frequently overloaded, must travel on any kind of highway their work requires.

Again we'll be perfectly frank about it: synthetic truck and bus tires now built will not stand all the abuse that the prewar tire would take, especially overloading. Progress is being made every day—but overloading which damaged a prewar tire can ruin today's synthetic rubber tire.

The Tire Industry is bending every effort to solve the serious problems of furnishing satisfactory and sufficient tires to the truck and bus field.

But a serious threat still exists to our most vital transportation.

So remember this—while the trends of present truck and bus tires are vitally important, the carcasses of these tires have a value to our truck operators, and to the nation, that is beyond price. Unless these tires are made to last and last, there is almost certain to be a breakdown of truck service.

Every one of these tires must be recapped the very minute it needs it—before any damage is done to the carcass. Speeds must be cut down, especially on hot roads. Overloads must be eliminated. Proper inflation is a necessity.

Operators, garage men, drivers, all have a heavy responsibility that they cannot now avoid. These are straightforward statements. The warning must not go unheeded. A new tire warranty recognizes these conditions, but the real job is conservation!

How to make tires last longer

Do no unnecessary driving.

Live up to the government regulation—don't exceed 35 miles an hour.

Keep your tires inflated up to recommended pressure, and check them every week.

Avoid hitting holes in the road, or bruising your tires on curbs or stones. Don't start or stop suddenly. Slow down for sharp corners.

See that your wheels and axles are in line.

Switch your tires from wheel to wheel every five thousand miles, and have them inspected regularly for removal of foreign objects and repair of cuts.

And—most important of all—recap your tires as soon as they become smooth.

Though not all civilians will be able to get synthetic rubber tires in the near future, you may be one of those who will. Therefore, you should know . . . and remember . . . these facts:

FACTS ABOUT PASSENGER CAR TIRES

The synthetic rubber tire is not yet an improvement but it will keep your car rolling through the emergency.

In many respects, the new synthetic rubber tires are an unknown quantity.

How they would behave at the phenomenally high speeds of prewar days is purely academic. The patriotic citizen knows that high speeds wear out his treads far faster than the recommended speed of 35 miles per hour, and drives accordingly.

Under-inflation, driving over rough roads, and other abuses are bad for all tires—but today's evidence is that synthetic tires will stand less of these abuses than the tires you have been used to.

But, since these tires will be rationed to you in trust for the nation, it will be your duty to take every possible care of them, and to prevent misuse and abuse.

As we gain more experience with synthetic rubber tires, more and more things will become known about them, and the public will be kept informed.

If you use synthetic rubber tires, be sure they are properly installed. They should be put into the tire, then inflated, deflated, and inflated again. And they should never be mounted on rusty rims.

A new warranty—

With conditions as they are, and synthetic rubber in its present stage of development, a new tire warranty has become necessary and has been adopted. It applies to all tires. Under its terms, injuries such as bruises, body breaks, cuts, snags, and heat failures, as well as tread wear are not subject to adjustment consideration.

Nor are injuries or failures which result from improper tire care or misuse or abuse. This includes failure as a result of overload, excess speed, improper inflation, or other non-defective conditions. Or when tires are used on rims not conforming to Tire and Rim Association Standards.

Remember—the tire industry, the Rubber Director, everyone is working together with all their energy, as they have from the outset, to keep America's wheels turning.

Do your part—take care of the tires you've got now!

Did the "impossible" really happen?

Let's see what you think. Right now, there is nearly enough rubber to meet our essential needs.

Today, this threat to American victory is merely an unpleasant memory, because Government, the Rubber Director, and a group of industries—rubber, petroleum, chemical, alcohol—working together, compressed into less than two years a job that would normally have taken a dozen years. But . . .

Because the public saw huge synthetic rubber plants shoot up almost over night, and heard that synthetic rubber was in large-scale production, they figured the tire headache was almost over.

Now—a warning!

This is the situation today—the rubber supply crisis is past, but the long predicted and anticipated tire shortage is with us.

Why is this so, when thousands of tons of Government synthetic rubber are now being made?

Why is this so, when the rubber industry is producing a tremendous tonnage of rubber products and more airplane and truck tires than ever before?

Because, as the Baruch Committee foresaw—the fact that few tires could be made until we had our synthetic rubber supply well on the way, resulted in millions of tires going out of service without replacement—and those remaining have less mileage in them. Inventories of prewar tires are gone.

Because our military needs are way beyond anyone's anticipations.

Because the rubber companies must use a lot of their manpower and machines to make bullet-sealing gas tanks and hundreds of other rubber products for war, in addition to tires.

Because half of today's requirements are for heavy-duty, large-size truck, bus, combat, artillery, and airplane tires, requiring many, many times the labor and materials of peacetime needs . . . and finally . . .

Because the manpower shortage hangs over the tire industry as it does over all industry, and there are just too few hands for the job.

Straight from the shoulder

These problems will be licked when our enemies are licked. Meanwhile, we want to tell you frankly

THE RUBBER MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

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